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# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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In re	:	Chapter 11
LEHMAN BROTHERS HOLDINGS INC., et al.,	: :	Case No. 08-13555 (JMP)
Debtors.	:	(Jointly Administered)
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# OBJECTION OF EUROSAIL 2006-3NC PLC TO THE DEBTORS' PROPOSED ASSUMPTION OF CERTAIN EXECUTORY CONTRACTS PURSUANT TO DEBTORS' THIRD AMENDED PLAN OF REORGANIZATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 1121 OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE

TO THE HONORABLE JAMES M. PECK, UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE:

Without submitting to the jurisdiction of this Court, Eurosail 2006-3NC PLC ("Eurosail"), by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby submits this objection (the "Objection") to the assumption by Lehman Brothers Special Financing Inc. ("LBSF") of certain derivative contracts, as set forth in the Third Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc. and its Affiliated Debtors (the "Plan"), the Plan Supplement, dated October 25, 2011 (the "Plan Supplement"), and the Notice of Proposed Assumption of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases Pursuant to the Debtors' Third Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan Pursuant to Section 1121 of the Bankruptcy Code (the "Eurosail Notice of Assumption"). In support of this Objection, Eurosail respectfully states as follows:

#### PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

- 1. Eurosail objects to the Debtors' proposed assumption of the Master Agreement (as defined below) because Eurosail has no continuing performance obligations outstanding under the Master Agreement, it is not an executory contract and therefore it is not capable of assumption.
- 2. The sole transaction that was governed by the Master Agreement (the "<u>Transaction</u>"), pursuant to which both parties had continuing obligations to the other, has reached its scheduled termination date. Prior to its scheduled termination date, Eurosail's payment obligations to LBSF in respect of the Transaction had been suspended as a result of LBSF's bankruptcy filing, which constituted an Event of Default under the Master Agreement; upon the scheduled termination date of the Transaction those payment obligations were extinguished. Eurosail has, therefore, no performance obligations remaining under the Master Agreement, which circumstance alone renders the Master Agreement a non-executory contract incapable of assumption or rejection.
- 3. For the foregoing reasons, Eurosail respectfully requests that the Court deny the Debtors' proposed assumption of the Master Agreement.

#### **BACKGROUND**

- 4. Eurosail is a public limited company incorporated in England and Wales on 13 February 2006 for the purpose of, amongst other things, issuing instruments backed by residential mortgage loans. Eurosail has no operations or significant contacts within the United States.
- 5. Eurosail and LBSF entered into that certain ISDA Master Agreement, dated as of November 9, 2006 (including the Schedule to the 1992 ISDA Master Agreement dated as of November 9, 2006 (the "Schedule"), the Interest Rate Swap Confirmation, dated

November 9, 2006 (the "Confirmation") and any amendments thereto, collectively, the "Master Agreement"). True and correct copies of the Master Agreement, Schedule and Confirmation are attached here to as Exhibits A, B, and C, respectively. Pursuant to the terms of the Master Agreement, Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc. ("LBHI") served as Credit Support Provider (as defined in the Master Agreement) to LBSF and executed a guarantee, dated November 9, 2006, unconditionally guaranteeing the obligations of LBSF in connection with the Transaction (the "Guarantee").

- 6. The Master Agreement provides that the agreement will be governed in accordance with the law specified in the Schedule. See Master Agreement ¶ 13(a). The Schedule specifically provides that the agreement will be governed by the laws of England. See ¶ 4(i). The Master Agreement further provides that the parties thereto submit to the jurisdiction of the English courts if the agreement is expressed to be governed by English law. See Master Agreement ¶ 13(b) and ¶ 4(i) of the Schedule.
- 7. Under the terms of the Master Agreement, the parties entered into a single transaction (i.e., the Transaction) with a specific termination date. The Transaction, as described in the Confirmation, is a standard interest rate swap pursuant to which Eurosail and LBSF agreed to exchange fixed interest rate cash flows for floating interest rate cash flows based on a specific notional amount, and gave rise to payment obligations from one party to another, to be satisfied periodically before maturity. Per the Confirmation, the termination date for the swap was "the earlier of 10th September 2009 and the Period End Date upon which the Principal Amount Outstanding of the Class F1c Notes is reduced to zero, subject to adjustment in accordance with the Following Business Day Convention." In accordance with this provision, the swap terminated on September 10, 2009.

- 8. Section 2(a)(i) of the Master Agreement provides that "Each party will make each payment or delivery specified in each Confirmation to be made by it, subject to the other provisions of this Agreement." This section is modified by Section 2(a)(iii), which provides that "Each obligation of each party under Section 2(a)(i) is subject to (1) the condition precedent that no Event of Default or Potential Event of Default with respect to the other party has occurred and is continuing, (2) the condition precedent that no Early Termination Date in respect of the relevant Transaction has occurred or been effectively designated and (3) each other applicable condition precedent specified in this Agreement."
- 9. Beginning on September 15, 2008 and periodically thereafter, LBHI, LBSF and certain of their affiliates (collectively, the "Debtors") commenced voluntary cases under chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Code in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York. As the Debtors' bankruptcy filing constituted an Event of Default under Section 5(a)(vii) of the Master Agreement that "occurred and is continuing," by operation of Section 2(a)(iii) any payment obligations by Eurosail in connection with its obligations under the Transaction were suspended.
- against LBSF (Claim No. 28804) seeking recovery under the Master Agreement in an unliquidated amount (the "LBSF Claim") and (b) a proof of claim against LBHI (Claim No.28803) also seeking recovery under the Guarantee in an unliquidated amount (the "LBHI Claim"; together with the LBSF Claim, the "Eurosail Claims"). Each of the Eurosail Claims stated, among other things, that the respective claimant "does not submit to the jurisdiction of this Court for any purpose other than with respect to this Proof of Claim" and "expressly reserves the right to withdraw this Proof of Claim as if it had never been filed."

- 11. On September 10, 2009, per the Confirmation, the Transaction reached its scheduled termination date. By operation of English law, upon the scheduled termination date, Eurosail's payment obligations under the Transaction which had been suspended on account of LBSF's bankruptcy filing were extinguished. See, e.g., Lomas and others (Joint Administrators of Lehman Brothers International (Europe) v JFB Firth Rixon, Inc and others [2010] EWHC 3372 (Ch); Lehman Brothers Special Financing Inc. v Carlton Communications Limited, [2011] EWHC 718 (Ch).
- 12. Pursuant to the Order Approving the Disclosure Statement, the Court approved the Debtors' Notice of (i) Approval of Disclosure Statement; (ii) Establishment of Record Date; (iii) Hearing on Confirmation of the Plan and Procedures for Objecting to Confirmation of the Plan; and (iv) Procedures and Deadline for Voting on the Plan dated September 9, 2011 (the "Confirmation Hearing Notice"). Pursuant to section 9(a) of the Confirmation Hearing Notice, the Debtors obligated themselves to serve a notice of proposed cure amounts (the "Cure Amount Notice") to any counterparty to an executory contract to be assumed pursuant to the Plan.
- 13. On September 1, 2011, the Debtors filed the Third Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc. and its Affiliated Debtors [Docket No. 19627]. Pursuant to Section 11.1 of the Plan, upon Plan confirmation, and as of the Plan's effective date, all executory contracts existing between the Debtors and any counterparty will be deemed rejected, except for those executory contracts that are specifically designated as a contract to be assumed by the Debtors.
- 14. On October 25, 2011, the Debtors filed the Plan Supplement [Docket No. 21254], which sets forth, in Exhibit 2, the Schedule of Executory Contracts and Unexpired

Leases to be Assumed Pursuant to Section 11.1 of the Plan. The Debtors list the Master Agreement as an executory contract to be assumed by the Debtors.

- Assumption of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases Pursuant to the Debtors' Third Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan Pursuant to Section 1121 of the Bankruptcy Code (the "Eurosail Notice of Assumption"), which purported to notify Eurosail that the Debtors intended to assumed all derivative contracts entered into between the Debtors and Eurosail. The Notice of Assumption was served on the trustee under the Master Agreement, BNY Melon Trustee Services Ltd., rather than c/o Wilmington Trust SP Services (London) Limited, the proper notice party under the Eurosail Claims, or c/o Capstone Mortgage Services Limited, the proper notice party under the Master Agreement.
  - 16. On or around the date hereof, Eurosail withdrew the Eurosail Claims.

#### **ARGUMENT**

- 17. Sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code govern a debtor's ability to assume or reject executory contracts pursuant to the Plan. 11 U.S.C. §§ 365(a), 1123(b)(2). Section 365 provides that a debtor may assume or reject an executory contract "at any time before the confirmation of a plan." See 11 U.S.C. §§ 365(a), 365(d)(2). Section 1123(b)(2) provides that a plan may "provide for the assumption, rejection or assignment of any executory contract...not previously rejected." 11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)(2).
- 18. Under well-settled law, an executory contract is "a contract under which the obligation of both the bankrupt and the other party to the contract are so far unperformed that the failure of either to complete performance would constitute a material breach excusing the performance of the other." In re Ames Dep't Stores, Inc., Case No. 93 Civ. 4014, 1995 U.S.

Dist. LEXIS 6704, at \*6 (S.D.N.Y. May 17, 1995); In re Chateaugay Corp., 130 B.R. 162, 164 (S.D.N.Y. 1991). "[I]n order for a contract to be considered executory, there must be significant performance remaining on both sides." In re Atlantic Computer Systems, Inc., 173 B.R. 844, 856 (S.D.N.Y. 1994). Once a contract is no longer executory, "the right to assume it is extinguished." In re Balco Equities Ltd., Inc., 312 B.R. 734, 750 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2004). Moreover, "a contract is not executory where the only obligation of a party to a contract is the payment of money." In re Leibinger-Roberts, Inc., 105 B.R. 208, 212-13 (Bankr. E.D.N.Y. 1989). See also In re J.M. Fields, Inc., 22 B.R. 861, 864 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 1982) (holding that an executory contract "does not encompass the situation where a nonbankrupt party to a contract has rendered full performance of its obligations but where a bankrupt party has performed only partially or not at all"); In re Res. Tech. Corp., 254 B.R. 215 (Bankr. N.D. Ill. 2000) (holding that a contract is not executory when one party has already performed all of its substantial obligations).

19. While prior to LBSF's bankruptcy filing Eurosail had payment obligations to LBSF in connection with the Transaction, upon such filing, which constituted an Event of Default under Section 5(a)(vii) of the Master Agreement, those obligations were suspended. The Transaction reached its scheduled termination date on September 10, 2009 and, by its terms, is now terminated. Under English law, because the condition precedent in Section 2(a)(iii) (i.e., LBSF not having filed for bankruptcy) was not fulfilled at the time of the Transaction's maturity (when any surviving obligations would have become due), Eurosail's payment obligations to LBSF – which had been suspended prior to the Transaction's termination date – were now extinguished. See, e.g., Lomas, supra. Accordingly, Eurosail has no further payment obligations whatsoever to LBSF under the Master Agreement.

- 20. Moreover, LBSF itself has no outstanding significant performance obligations under the Master Agreement. Because in order for a contract to be executory, there must be "significant performance remaining on both sides," In re Chateaugay Corp., 130 B.R. at 164," the Master Agreement would not be assumable even if Section 2(a)(iii) were inoperable—in which case the only remaining significant obligation outstanding would be a payment from Eurosail to LBSF. Id. at 165-166 (holding that "[an] obligation to pay money, standing alone, is insufficient to render a contract executory").
- 21. As neither party has any remaining significant obligations to the other, this case is readily distinguishable from Lehman Brothers Special Financing, Inc. v. BNY Corporate Trustee Services Ltd. (In re Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc.), 422 B.R. 407 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2010), in which this Court found that a swap agreement similarly structured to the Master Agreement was executory because "each of LBSF and BNY has unsatisfied contractual obligations to make various payments" that had survived the termination of the underlying transaction. Eurosail's payment obligations to LBSF have been extinguished and, in any event, LBSF has no continuing payment obligations to Eurosail. The Master Agreement is not an executory contract.
- 22. Accordingly, the Court should deny the Debtors' request to assume the Master Agreement.

## **RESERVATION OF RIGHTS**

23. Eurosail does not submit to the jurisdiction of this Court for any reason but to object to the assumption of the Master Agreement, which, by its terms, is governed by English law. Eurosail explicitly objects to the personal jurisdiction of the Court with regard to any motion, request for relief or adversary proceeding commenced against it by any party.

# **CONCLUSION**

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, Eurosail respectfully requests that the Court deny the Debtors' proposed assumption of the Master Agreement.

Dated: New York, New York November 16, 2011

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EXHIBIT A

(Multicurrency -- Cross Border)



International Swap Dealers Association, Inc.

# **MASTER AGREEMENT**

dated as of 9 November 2006

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FINANCING INC. ("Party A") and EUROSAIL 2006-3NC PLC ("Party B")

have entered and/or anticipate entering into one or more transactions (each a "Transaction") that are or will be governed by this Master Agreement, which includes the schedule (the "Schedule"), and the documents and other confirming evidence (each a "Confirmation") exchanged between the parties confirming those Transactions.

Accordingly, the parties agree as follows: -

#### 1. Interpretation

- (a) Definitions. The terms defined in Section 14 and in the Schedule will have the meanings therein specified for the purpose of this Master Agreement.
- (b) Inconsistency. In the event of any inconsistency between the provisions of the Schedule and the other provisions of this Master Agreement, the Schedule will prevail. In the event of any inconsistency between the provisions of any Confirmation and this Master Agreement (including the Schedule), such Confirmation will prevail for the purpose of the relevant Transaction.
- (c) Single Agreement. All Transactions are entered into in reliance on the fact that this Master Agreement and all Confirmations form a single agreement between the parties (collectively referred to as this "Agreement"), and the parties would not otherwise enter into any Transactions.

#### 2. Obligations

#### (a) General Conditions.

- (i) Each party will make each payment or delivery specified in each Confirmation to be made by it, subject to the other provisions of this Agreement.
- (ii) Payments under this Agreement will be made on the due date for value on that date in the place of the account specified in the relevant Confirmation or otherwise pursuant to this Agreement, in freely transferable funds and in the manner customary for payments in the required currency. Where settlement is by delivery (that is, other than by payment), such delivery will be made for receipt on the due date in the manner customary for the relevant obligation unless otherwise specified in the relevant Confirmation or elsewhere in this Agreement.
- (iii) Each obligation of each party under Section 2(a)(i) is subject to (1) the condition precedent that no Event of Default or Potential Event of Default with respect to the other party has occurred and is continuing, (2) the condition precedent that no Early Termination Date in respect of the relevant Transaction has occurred or been effectively designated and (3) each other applicable condition precedent specified in this Agreement.

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- (b) Change of Account. Either party may change its account for receiving a payment or delivery by giving notice to the other party at least five Local Business Days prior to the scheduled date for the payment or delivery to which such change applies unless such other party gives timely notice of a reasonable objection to such change.
- (c) Netting. If on any date amounts would otherwise be payable:-
  - (i) in the same currency; and
  - (ii) in respect of the same Transaction,

by each party to the other, then, on such date, each party's obligation to make payment of any such amount will be automatically satisfied and discharged and, if the aggregate amount that would otherwise have been payable by one party exceeds the aggregate amount that would otherwise have been payable by the other party, replaced by an obligation upon the party by whom the larger aggregate amount would have been payable to pay to the other party the excess of the larger aggregate amount over the smaller aggregate amount.

The parties may elect in respect of two or more Transactions that a net amount will be determined in respect of all amounts payable on the same date in the same currency in respect of such Transactions, regardless of whether such amounts are payable in respect of the same Transaction. The election may be made in the Schedule or a Confirmation by specifying that subparagraph (ii) above will not apply to the Transactions identified as being subject to the election, together with the starting date (in which case subparagraph (ii) above will not, or will cease to, apply to such Transactions from such date). This election may be made separately for different groups of Transactions and will apply separately to each pairing of Offices through which the parties make and receive payments or deliveries.

#### (d) Deduction or Withholding for Tax.

- (i) Gross-Up. All payments under this Agreement will be made without any deduction or withholding for or on account of any Tax unless such deduction or withholding is required by any applicable law, as modified by the practice of any relevant governmental revenue authority, then in effect. If a party is so required to deduct or withhold, then that party ("X") will:—
  - (1) promptly notify the other party ("Y") of such requirement;
  - (2) pay to the relevant authorities the full amount required to be deducted or withheld (including the full amount required to be deducted or withheld from any additional amount paid by X to Y under this Section 2(d)) promptly upon the earlier of determining that such deduction or withholding is required or receiving notice that such amount has been assessed against Y;
  - (3) promptly forward to Y an official receipt (or a certified copy), or other documentation reasonably acceptable to Y, evidencing such payment to such authorities; and
  - (4) if such Tax is an Indemnifiable Tax, pay to Y, in addition to the payment to which Y is otherwise entitled under this Agreement, such additional amount as is necessary to ensure that the net amount actually received by Y (free and clear of Indemnifiable Taxes, whether assessed against X or Y) will equal the full amount Y would have received had no such deduction or withholding been required. However, X will not be required to pay any additional amount to Y to the extent that it would not be required to be paid but for:—
    - (A) the failure by Y to comply with or perform any agreement contained in Section 4(a)(i), 4(a)(iii) or 4(d); or
    - (B) the failure of a representation made by Y pursuant to Section 3(f) to be accurate and true unless such failure would not have occurred but for (I) any action taken by a taxing authority, or brought in a court of competent jurisdiction, on or after the date on which a Transaction is entered into (regardless of whether such action is taken or brought with respect to a party to this Agreement) or (II) a Change in Tax Law.

#### (ii) Liability. If: --

- (1) X is required by any applicable law, as modified by the practice of any relevant governmental revenue authority, to make any deduction or withholding in respect of which X would not be required to pay an additional amount to Y under Section 2(d)(i)(4);
- (2) X does not so deduct or withhold; and
- (3) a liability resulting from such Tax is assessed directly against X,

then, except to the extent Y has satisfied or then satisfies the liability resulting from such Tax, Y will promptly pay to X the amount of such liability (including any related liability for interest, but including any related liability for penalties only if Y has failed to comply with or perform any agreement contained in Section 4(a)(i), 4(a)(iii) or 4(d)).

(e) Default Interest; Other Amounts. Prior to the occurrence or effective designation of an Early Termination Date in respect of the relevant Transaction, a party that defaults in the performance of any payment obligation will, to the extent permitted by law and subject to Section 6(c), be required to pay interest (before as well as after judgment) on the overdue amount to the other party on demand in the same currency as such overdue amount, for the period from (and including) the original due date for payment to (but excluding) the date of actual payment, at the Default Rate. Such interest will be calculated on the basis of daily compounding and the actual number of days elapsed. If, prior to the occurrence or effective designation of an Early Termination Date in respect of the relevant Transaction, a party defaults in the performance of any obligation required to be settled by delivery, it will compensate the other party on demand if and to the extent provided for in the relevant Confirmation or elsewhere in this Agreement.

#### 3. Representations

Each party represents to the other party (which representations will be deemed to be repeated by each party on each date on which a Transaction is entered into and, in the case of the representations in Section 3(f), at all times until the termination of this Agreement) that:—

#### (a) Basic Representations.

- (i) Status. It is duly organised and validly existing under the laws of the jurisdiction of its organisation or incorporation and, if relevant under such laws, in good standing;
- (ii) Powers. It has the power to execute this Agreement and any other documentation relating to this Agreement to which it is a party, to deliver this Agreement and any other documentation relating to this Agreement that it is required by this Agreement to deliver and to perform its obligations under this Agreement and any obligations it has under any Credit Support Document to which it is a party and has taken all necessary action to authorise such execution, delivery and performance;
- (iii) No Violation or Conflict. Such execution, delivery and performance do not violate or conflict with any law applicable to it, any provision of its constitutional documents, any order or judgment of any court or other agency of government applicable to it or any of its assets or any contractual restriction binding on or affecting it or any of its assets;
- (iv) Consents. All governmental and other consents that are required to have been obtained by it with respect to this Agreement or any Credit Support Document to which it is a party have been obtained and are in full force and effect and all conditions of any such consents have been complied with: and
- (v) Obligations Binding. Its obligations under this Agreement and any Credit Support Document to which it is a party constitute its legal, valid and binding obligations, enforceable in accordance with their respective terms (subject to applicable bankruptcy, reorganisation, insolvency, moratorium or similar laws affecting creditors' rights generally and subject, as to enforceability, to equitable principles of general application (regardless of whether enforcement is sought in a proceeding in equity or at law)).

- (b) Absence of Certain Events. No Event of Default or Potential Event of Default or, to its knowledge, Termination Event with respect to it has occurred and is continuing and no such event or circumstance would occur as a result of its entering into or performing its obligations under this Agreement or any Credit Support Document to which it is a party.
- (c) Absence of Litigation. There is not pending or, to its knowledge, threatened against it or any of its Affiliates any action, suit or proceeding at law or in equity or before any court, tribunal, governmental body, agency or official or any arbitrator that is likely to affect the legality, validity or enforceability against it of this Agreement or any Credit Support Document to which it is a party or its ability to perform its obligations under this Agreement or such Credit Support Document.
- (d) Accuracy of Specified Information. All applicable information that is furnished in writing by or on behalf of it to the other party and is identified for the purpose of this Section 3(d) in the Schedule is, as of the date of the information, true, accurate and complete in every material respect.
- (e) Payer Tax Representation. Each representation specified in the Schedule as being made by it for the purpose of this Section 3(e) is accurate and true.
- (f) Payee Tax Representations. Each representation specified in the Schedule as being made by it for the purpose of this Section 3(f) is accurate and true.

#### 4. Agreements

Each party agrees with the other that, so long as either party has or may have any obligation under this Agreement or under any Credit Support Document to which it is a party:—

- (a) Furnish Specified Information. It will deliver to the other party or, in certain cases under subparagraph (iii) below, to such government or taxing authority as the other party reasonably directs:—
  - (i) any forms, documents or certificates relating to taxation specified in the Schedule or any Confirmation;
  - (ii) any other documents specified in the Schedule or any Confirmation; and
    - (iii) upon reasonable demand by such other party, any form or document that may be required or reasonably requested in writing in order to allow such other party or its Credit Support Provider to make a payment under this Agreement or any applicable Credit Support Document without any deduction or withholding for or on account of any Tax or with such deduction or withholding at a reduced rate (so long as the completion, execution or submission of such form or document would not materially prejudice the legal or commercial position of the party in receipt of such demand), with any such form or document to be accurate and completed in a manner reasonably satisfactory to such other party and to be executed and to be delivered with any reasonably required certification,

in each case by the date specified in the Schedule or such Confirmation or, if none is specified, as soon as reasonably practicable.

- (b) Maintain Authorisations. It will use all reasonable efforts to maintain in full force and effect all consents of any governmental or other authority that are required to be obtained by it with respect to this Agreement or any Credit Support Document to which it is a party and will use all reasonable efforts to obtain any that may become necessary in the future.
- (c) Comply with Laws. It will comply in all material respects with all applicable laws and orders to which it may be subject if failure so to comply would materially impair its ability to perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Credit Support Document to which it is a party.
- (d) Tax Agreement. It will give notice of any failure of a representation made by it under Section 3(f) to be accurate and true promptly upon learning of such failure.
- (e) Payment of Stamp Tax. Subject to Section 11, it will pay any Stamp Tax levied or imposed upon it or in respect of its execution or performance of this Agreement by a jurisdiction in which it is incorporated,

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organised, managed and controlled, or considered to have its seat, or in which a branch or office through which it is acting for the purpose of this Agreement is located ("Stamp Tax Jurisdiction") and will indemnify the other party against any Stamp Tax levied or imposed upon the other party or in respect of the other party's execution or performance of this Agreement by any such Stamp Tax Jurisdiction which is not also a Stamp Tax Jurisdiction with respect to the other party.

#### 5. Events of Default and Termination Events

- (a) Events of Default. The occurrence at any time with respect to a party or, if applicable, any Credit Support Provider of such party or any Specified Entity of such party of any of the following events constitutes an event of default (an "Event of Default") with respect to such party:—
  - (i) Failure to Pay or Deliver. Failure by the party to make, when due, any payment under this Agreement or delivery under Section 2(a)(i) or 2(e) required to be made by it if such failure is not remedied on or before the third Local Business Day after notice of such failure is given to the party;
  - (ii) Breach of Agreement. Failure by the party to comply with or perform any agreement or obligation (other than an obligation to make any payment under this Agreement or delivery under Section 2(a)(i) or 2(e) or to give notice of a Termination Event or any agreement or obligation under Section 4(a)(i), 4(a)(iii) or 4(d)) to be complied with or performed by the party in accordance with this Agreement if such failure is not remedied on or before the thirtieth day after notice of such failure is given to the party;

### (iii) Credit Support Default.

- (1) Failure by the party or any Credit Support Provider of such party to comply with or perform any agreement or obligation to be complied with or performed by it in accordance with any Credit Support Document if such failure is continuing after any applicable grace period has elapsed;
- (2) the expiration or termination of such Credit Support Document or the failing or ceasing of such Credit Support Document to be in full force and effect for the purpose of this Agreement (in either case other than in accordance with its terms) prior to the satisfaction of all obligations of such party under each Transaction to which such Credit Support Document relates without the written consent of the other party; or
- (3) the party or such Credit Support Provider disaffirms, disclaims, repudiates or rejects, in whole or in part, or challenges the validity of, such Credit Support Document;
- (iv) *Misrepresentation*. A representation (other than a representation under Section 3(e) or (f)) made or repeated or deemed to have been made or repeated by the party or any Credit Support Provider of such party in this Agreement or any Credit Support Document proves to have been incorrect or misleading in any material respect when made or repeated or deemed to have been made or repeated;
- (v) Default under Specified Transaction. The party, any Credit Support Provider of such party or any applicable Specified Entity of such party (1) defaults under a Specified Transaction and, after giving effect to any applicable notice requirement or grace period, there occurs a liquidation of, an acceleration of obligations under, or an early termination of, that Specified Transaction, (2) defaults, after giving effect to any applicable notice requirement or grace period, in making any payment or delivery due on the last payment, delivery or exchange date of, or any payment on early termination of, a Specified Transaction (or such default continues for at least three Local Business Days if there is no applicable notice requirement or grace period) or (3) disaffirms, disclaims, repudiates or rejects, in whole or in part, a Specified Transaction (or such action is taken by any person or entity appointed or empowered to operate it or act on its behalf);
- (vi) Cross Default. If "Cross Default" is specified in the Schedule as applying to the party, the occurrence or existence of (1) a default, event of default or other similar condition or event (however

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described) in respect of such party, any Credit Support Provider of such party or any applicable Specified Entity of such party under one or more agreements or instruments relating to Specified Indebtedness of any of them (individually or collectively) in an aggregate amount of not less than the applicable Threshold Amount (as specified in the Schedule) which has resulted in such Specified Indebtedness becoming, or becoming capable at such time of being declared, due and payable under such agreements or instruments, before it would otherwise have been due and payable or (2) a default by such party, such Credit Support Provider or such Specified Entity (individually or collectively) in making one or more payments on the due date thereof in an aggregate amount of not less than the applicable Threshold Amount under such agreements or instruments (after giving effect to any applicable notice requirement or grace period);

- (vii) Bankruptcy. The party, any Credit Support Provider of such party or any applicable Specified Entity of such party:
  - (1) is dissolved (other than pursuant to a consolidation, amalgamation or merger); (2) becomes insolvent or is unable to pay its debts or fails or admits in writing its inability generally to pay its debts as they become due; (3) makes a general assignment, arrangement or composition with or for the benefit of its creditors; (4) institutes or has instituted against it a proceeding seeking a judgment of insolvency or bankruptcy or any other relief under any bankruptcy or insolvency law or other similar law affecting creditors' rights, or a petition is presented for its winding-up or liquidation, and, in the case of any such proceeding or petition instituted or presented against it, such proceeding or petition (A) results in a judgment of insolvency or bankruptcy or the entry of an order for relief or the making of an order for its winding-up or liquidation or (B) is not dismissed, discharged, stayed or restrained in each case within 30 days of the institution or presentation thereof; (5) has a resolution passed for its winding-up, official management or liquidation (other than pursuant to a consolidation, amalgamation or merger); (6) seeks or becomes subject to the appointment of an administrator, provisional liquidator, conservator, receiver, trustee, custodian or other similar official for it or for all or substantially all its assets; (7) has a secured party take possession of all or substantially all its assets or has a distress, execution, attachment, sequestration or other legal process levied, enforced or sued on or against all or substantially all its assets and such secured party maintains possession, or any such process is not dismissed, discharged, stayed or restrained, in each case within 30 days thereafter; (8) causes or is subject to any event with respect to it which, under the applicable laws of any jurisdiction, has an analogous effect to any of the events specified in clauses (1) to (7) (inclusive); or (9) takes any action in furtherance of, or indicating its consent to, approval of, or acquiescence in, any of the foregoing acts; or
- (viii) Merger Without Assumption. The party or any Credit Support Provider of such party consolidates or amalgamates with, or merges with or into, or transfers all or substantially all its assets to, another entity and, at the time of such consolidation, amalgamation, merger or transfer:
  - (1) the resulting, surviving or transferee entity fails to assume all the obligations of such party or such Credit Support Provider under this Agreement or any Credit Support Document to which it or its predecessor was a party by operation of law or pursuant to an agreement reasonably satisfactory to the other party to this Agreement; or
  - (2) the benefits of any Credit Support Document fail to extend (without the consent of the other party) to the performance by such resulting, surviving or transferee entity of its obligations under this Agreement.
- (b) Termination Events. The occurrence at any time with respect to a party or, if applicable, any Credit Support Provider of such party or any Specified Entity of such party of any event specified below constitutes an Illegality if the event is specified in (i) below, a Tax Event Upon Merger if the event is specified in (iii) below, and, if specified to be applicable, a Credit Event

Upon Merger if the event is specified pursuant to (iv) below or an Additional Termination Event if the event is specified pursuant to (v) below:—

- (i) Illegality. Due to the adoption of, or any change in, any applicable law after the date on which a Transaction is entered into, or due to the promulgation of, or any change in, the interpretation by any court, tribunal or regulatory authority with competent jurisdiction of any applicable law after such date, it becomes unlawful (other than as a result of a breach by the party of Section 4(b)) for such party (which will be the Affected Party):—
  - (1) to perform any absolute or contingent obligation to make a payment or delivery or to receive a payment or delivery in respect of such Transaction or to comply with any other material provision of this Agreement relating to such Transaction; or
  - (2) to perform, or for any Credit Support Provider of such party to perform, any contingent or other obligation which the party (or such Credit Support Provider) has under any Credit Support Document relating to such Transaction;
- (ii) Tax Event. Due to (x) any action taken by a taxing authority, or brought in a court of competent jurisdiction, on or after the date on which a Transaction is entered into (regardless of whether such action is taken or brought with respect to a party to this Agreement) or (y) a Change in Tax Law, the party (which will be the Affected Party) will, or there is a substantial likelihood that it will, on the next succeeding Scheduled Payment Date (1) be required to pay to the other party an additional amount in respect of an Indemnifiable Tax under Section 2(d)(i)(4) (except in respect of interest under Section 2(e), 6(d)(ii) or 6(e)) or (2) receive a payment from which an amount is required to be deducted or withheld for or on account of a Tax (except in respect of interest under Section 2(e), 6(d)(ii) or 6(e)) and no additional amount is required to be paid in respect of such Tax under Section 2(d)(i)(4) (other than by reason of Section 2(d)(i)(4)(A) or (B));
- (iii) Tax Event Upon Merger. The party (the "Burdened Party") on the next succeeding Scheduled Payment Date will either (1) be required to pay an additional amount in respect of an Indemnifiable Tax under Section 2(d)(i)(4) (except in respect of interest under Section 2(e), 6(d)(ii) or 6(e)) or (2) receive a payment from which an amount has been deducted or withheld for or on account of any Indemnifiable Tax in respect of which the other party is not required to pay an additional amount (other than by reason of Section 2(d)(i)(4)(A) or (B)), in either case as a result of a party consolidating or amalgamating with, or merging with or into, or transferring all or substantially all its assets to, another entity (which will be the Affected Party) where such action does not constitute an event described in Section 5(a)(viii);
- (iv) Credit Event Upon Merger. If "Credit Event Upon Merger" is specified in the Schedule as applying to the party, such party ("X"), any Credit Support Provider of X or any applicable Specified Entity of X consolidates or amalgamates with, or merges with or into, or transfers all or substantially all its assets to, another entity and such action does not constitute an event described in Section 5(a)(viii) but the creditworthiness of the resulting, surviving or transferee entity is materially weaker than that of X, such Credit Support Provider or such Specified Entity, as the case may be, immediately prior to such action (and, in such event, X or its successor or transferee, as appropriate, will be the Affected Party); or
- (v) Additional Termination Event. If any "Additional Termination Event" is specified in the Schedule or any Confirmation as applying, the occurrence of such event (and, in such event, the Affected Party or Affected Parties shall be as specified for such Additional Termination Event in the Schedule or such Confirmation).
- (c) Event of Default and Illegality. If an event or circumstance which would otherwise constitute or give rise to an Event of Default also constitutes an Illegality, it will be treated as an Illegality and will not constitute an Event of Default.

#### 6. Early Termination

(a) Right to Terminate Following Event of Default. If at any time an Event of Default with respect to a party (the "Defaulting Party") has occurred and is then continuing, the other party (the "Non-defaulting Party") may, by not more than 20 days notice to the Defaulting Party specifying the relevant Event of Default, designate a day not earlier than the day such notice is effective as an Early Termination Date in respect of all outstanding Transactions. If, however, "Automatic Early Termination" is specified in the Schedule as applying to a party, then an Early Termination Date in respect of all outstanding Transactions will occur immediately upon the occurrence with respect to such party of an Event of Default specified in Section 5(a)(vii)(1), (3), (5), (6) or, to the extent analogous thereto, (8), and as of the time immediately preceding the institution of the relevant proceeding or the presentation of the relevant petition upon the occurrence with respect to such party of an Event of Default specified in Section 5(a)(vii)(4) or, to the extent analogous thereto, (8).

#### (b) Right to Terminate Following Termination Event.

- (i) Notice. If a Termination Event occurs, an Affected Party will, promptly upon becoming aware of it, notify the other party, specifying the nature of that Termination Event and each Affected Transaction and will also give such other information about that Termination Event as the other party may reasonably require.
- (ii) Transfer to Avoid Termination Event. If either an Illegality under Section 5(b)(i)(1) or a Tax Event occurs and there is only one Affected Party, or if a Tax Event Upon Merger occurs and the Burdened Party is the Affected Party, the Affected Party will, as a condition to its right to designate an Early Termination Date under Section 6(b)(iv), use all reasonable efforts (which will not require such party to incur a loss, excluding immaterial, incidental expenses) to transfer within 20 days after it gives notice under Section 6(b)(i) all its rights and obligations under this Agreement in respect of the Affected Transactions to another of its Offices or Affiliates so that such Termination Event ceases to exist.

If the Affected Party is not able to make such a transfer it will give notice to the other party to that effect within such 20 day period, whereupon the other party may effect such a transfer within 30 days after the notice is given under Section 6(b)(i).

Any such transfer by a party under this Section 6(b)(ii) will be subject to and conditional upon the prior written consent of the other party, which consent will not be withheld if such other party's policies in effect at such time would permit it to enter into transactions with the transferee on the terms proposed.

(iii) Two Affected Parties. If an Illegality under Section 5(b)(i)(1) or a Tax Event occurs and there are two Affected Parties, each party will use all reasonable efforts to reach agreement within 30 days after notice thereof is given under Section 6(b)(i) on action to avoid that Termination Event.

#### (iv) Right to Terminate. If: -

- (1) a transfer under Section 6(b)(ii) or an agreement under Section 6(b)(iii), as the case may be, has not been effected with respect to all Affected Transactions within 30 days after an Affected Party gives notice under Section 6(b)(i); or
- (2) an Illegality under Section 5(b)(i)(2), a Credit Event Upon Merger or an Additional Termination Event occurs, or a Tax Event Upon Merger occurs and the Burdened Party is not the Affected Party,

either party in the case of an Illegality, the Burdened Party in the case of a Tax Event Upon Merger, any Affected Party in the case of a Tax Event or an Additional Termination Event if there is more than one Affected Party, or the party which is not the Affected Party in the case of a Credit Event Upon Merger or an Additional Termination Event if there is only one Affected Party may, by not more than 20 days notice to the other party and provided that the relevant Termination Event is then

continuing, designate a day not earlier than the day such notice is effective as an Early Termination Date in respect of all Affected Transactions.

#### (c) Effect of Designation.

- (i) If notice designating an Early Termination Date is given under Section 6(a) or (b), the Early Termination Date will occur on the date so designated, whether or not the relevant Event of Default or Termination Event is then continuing.
- (ii) Upon the occurrence or effective designation of an Early Termination Date, no further payments or deliveries under Section 2(a)(i) or 2(e) in respect of the Terminated Transactions will be required to be made, but without prejudice to the other provisions of this Agreement. The amount, if any, payable in respect of an Early Termination Date shall be determined pursuant to Section 6(e).

#### (d) Calculations.

- (i) Statement. On or as soon as reasonably practicable following the occurrence of an Early Termination Date, each party will make the calculations on its part, if any, contemplated by Section 6(e) and will provide to the other party a statement (1) showing, in reasonable detail, such calculations (including all relevant quotations and specifying any amount payable under Section 6(e)) and (2) giving details of the relevant account to which any amount payable to it is to be paid. In the absence of written confirmation from the source of a quotation obtained in determining a Market Quotation, the records of the party obtaining such quotation will be conclusive evidence of the existence and accuracy of such quotation.
- (ii) Payment Date. An amount calculated as being due in respect of any Early Termination Date under Section 6(e) will be payable on the day that notice of the amount payable is effective (in the case of an Early Termination Date which is designated or occurs as a result of an Event of Default) and on the day which is two Local Business Days after the day on which notice of the amount payable is effective (in the case of an Early Termination Date which is designated as a result of a Termination Event). Such amount will be paid together with (to the extent permitted under applicable law) interest thereon (before as well as after judgment) in the Termination Currency, from (and including) the relevant Early Termination Date to (but excluding) the date such amount is paid, at the Applicable Rate. Such interest will be calculated on the basis of daily compounding and the actual number of days elapsed.
- (e) Payments on Early Termination. If an Early Termination Date occurs, the following provisions shall apply based on the parties' election in the Schedule of a payment measure, either "Market Quotation" or "Loss", and a payment method, either the "First Method" or the "Second Method". If the parties fail to designate a payment measure or payment method in the Schedule, it will be deemed that "Market Quotation" or the "Second Method", as the case may be, shall apply. The amount, if any, payable in respect of an Early Termination Date and determined pursuant to this Section will be subject to any Set-off.
  - (i) Events of Default. If the Early Termination Date results from an Event of Default: -
    - (1) First Method and Market Quotation. If the First Method and Market Quotation apply, the Defaulting Party will pay to the Non-defaulting Party the excess, if a positive number, of (A) the sum of the Settlement Amount (determined by the Non-defaulting Party) in respect of the Terminated Transactions and the Termination Currency Equivalent of the Unpaid Amounts owing to the Non-defaulting Party over (B) the Termination Currency Equivalent of the Unpaid Amounts owing to the Defaulting Party.
    - (2) First Method and Loss. If the First Method and Loss apply, the Defaulting Party will pay to the Non-defaulting Party, if a positive number, the Non-defaulting Party's Loss in respect of this Agreement.
    - (3) Second Method and Market Quotation. If the Second Method and Market Quotation apply, an amount will be payable equal to (A) the sum of the Settlement Amount (determined by the

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Non-defaulting Party) in respect of the Terminated Transactions and the Termination Currency Equivalent of the Unpaid Amounts owing to the Non-defaulting Party less (B) the Termination Currency Equivalent of the Unpaid Amounts owing to the Defaulting Party. If that amount is a positive number, the Defaulting Party will pay it to the Non-defaulting Party; if it is a negative number, the Non-defaulting Party will pay the absolute value of that amount to the Defaulting Party.

- (4) Second Method and Loss. If the Second Method and Loss apply, an amount will be payable equal to the Non-defaulting Party's Loss in respect of this Agreement. If that amount is a positive number, the Defaulting Party will pay it to the Non-defaulting Party; if it is a negative number, the Non-defaulting Party will pay the absolute value of that amount to the Defaulting Party.
- (ii) Termination Events. If the Early Termination Date results from a Termination Event:
  - (1) One Affected Party. If there is one Affected Party, the amount payable will be determined in accordance with Section 6(e)(i)(3), if Market Quotation applies, or Section 6(e)(i)(4), if Loss applies, except that, in either case, references to the Defaulting Party and to the Non-defaulting Party will be deemed to be references to the Affected Party and the party which is not the Affected Party, respectively, and, if Loss applies and fewer than all the Transactions are being terminated, Loss shall be calculated in respect of all Terminated Transactions.
  - (2) Two Affected Parties. If there are two Affected Parties: -
    - (A) if Market Quotation applies, each party will determine a Settlement Amount in respect of the Terminated Transactions, and an amount will be payable equal to (I) the sum of (a) one-half of the difference between the Settlement Amount of the party with the higher Settlement Amount ("X") and the Settlement Amount of the party with the lower Settlement Amount ("Y") and (b) the Termination Currency Equivalent of the Unpaid Amounts owing to X less (II) the Termination Currency Equivalent of the Unpaid Amounts owing to Y; and
    - (B) if Loss applies, each party will determine its Loss in respect of this Agreement (or, if fewer than all the Transactions are being terminated, in respect of all Terminated Transactions) and an amount will be payable equal to one-half of the difference between the Loss of the party with the higher Loss ("X") and the Loss of the party with the lower Loss ("Y").

If the amount payable is a positive number, Y will pay it to X; if it is a negative number, X will pay the absolute value of that amount to Y.

- (iii) Adjustment for Bankruptcy. In circumstances where an Early Termination Date occurs because "Automatic Early Termination" applies in respect of a party, the amount determined under this Section 6(e) will be subject to such adjustments as are appropriate and permitted by law to reflect any payments or deliveries made by one party to the other under this Agreement (and retained by such other party) during the period from the relevant Early Termination Date to the date for payment determined under Section 6(d)(ii).
- (iv) **Pre-Estimate.** The parties agree that if Market Quotation applies an amount recoverable under this Section 6(e) is a reasonable pre-estimate of loss and not a penalty. Such amount is payable for the loss of bargain and the loss of protection against future risks and except as otherwise provided in this Agreement neither party will be entitled to recover any additional damages as a consequence of such losses.

#### 7. Transfer

Subject to Section 6(b)(ii), neither this Agreement nor any interest or obligation in or under this Agreement may be transferred (whether by way of security or otherwise) by either party without the prior written consent of the other party, except that:—

- (a) a party may make such a transfer of this Agreement pursuant to a consolidation or amalgamation with, or merger with or into, or transfer of all or substantially all its assets to, another entity (but without prejudice to any other right or remedy under this Agreement); and
- (b) a party may make such a transfer of all or any part of its interest in any amount payable to it from a Defaulting Party under Section 6(e).

Any purported transfer that is not in compliance with this Section will be void.

#### 8. Contractual Currency

- (a) Payment in the Contractual Currency. Each payment under this Agreement will be made in the relevant currency specified in this Agreement for that payment (the "Contractual Currency"). To the extent permitted by applicable law, any obligation to make payments under this Agreement in the Contractual Currency will not be discharged or satisfied by any tender in any currency other than the Contractual Currency, except to the extent such tender results in the actual receipt by the party to which payment is owed, acting in a reasonable manner and in good faith in converting the currency so tendered into the Contractual Currency, of the full amount in the Contractual Currency of all amounts payable in respect of this Agreement. If for any reason the amount in the Contractual Currency so received falls short of the amount in the Contractual Currency payable in respect of this Agreement, the party required to make the payment will, to the extent permitted by applicable law, immediately pay such additional amount in the Contractual Currency as may be necessary to compensate for the shortfall. If for any reason the amount in the Contractual Currency so received exceeds the amount in the Contractual Currency payable in respect of this Agreement, the party receiving the payment will refund promptly the amount of such excess.
- Judgments. To the extent permitted by applicable law, if any judgment or order expressed in a currency other than the Contractual Currency is rendered (i) for the payment of any amount owing in respect of this Agreement, (ii) for the payment of any amount relating to any early termination in respect of this Agreement or (iii) in respect of a judgment or order of another court for the payment of any amount described in (i) or (ii) above, the party seeking recovery, after recovery in full of the aggregate amount to which such party is entitled pursuant to the judgment or order, will be entitled to receive immediately from the other party the amount of any shortfall of the Contractual Currency received by such party as a consequence of sums paid in such other currency and will refund promptly to the other party any excess of the Contractual Currency received by such party as a consequence of sums paid in such other currency if such shortfall or such excess arises or results from any variation between the rate of exchange at which the Contractual Currency is converted into the currency of the judgment or order for the purposes of such judgment or order and the rate of exchange at which such party is able, acting in a reasonable manner and in good faith in converting the currency received into the Contractual Currency, to purchase the Contractual Currency with the amount of the currency of the judgment or order actually received by such party. The term "rate of exchange" includes, without limitation, any premiums and costs of exchange payable in connection with the purchase of or conversion into the Contractual Currency.
- (c) Separate Indemnities. To the extent permitted by applicable law, these indemnities constitute separate and independent obligations from the other obligations in this Agreement, will be enforceable as separate and independent causes of action, will apply notwithstanding any indulgence granted by the party to which any payment is owed and will not be affected by judgment being obtained or claim or proof being made for any other sums payable in respect of this Agreement.
- (d) Evidence of Loss. For the purpose of this Section 8, it will be sufficient for a party to demonstrate that it would have suffered a loss had an actual exchange or purchase been made.

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#### 9. Miscellaneous

- (a) Entire Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement and understanding of the parties with respect to its subject matter and supersedes all oral communication and prior writings with respect thereto.
- (b) Amendments. No amendment, modification or waiver in respect of this Agreement will be effective unless in writing (including a writing evidenced by a facsimile transmission) and executed by each of the parties or confirmed by an exchange of telexes or electronic messages on an electronic messaging system.
- (c) Survival of Obligations. Without prejudice to Sections 2(a)(iii) and 6(c)(ii), the obligations of the parties under this Agreement will survive the termination of any Transaction.
- (d) Remedies Cumulative. Except as provided in this Agreement, the rights, powers, remedies and privileges provided in this Agreement are cumulative and not exclusive of any rights, powers, remedies and privileges provided by law.

#### (e) Counterparts and Confirmations.

- (i) This Agreement (and each amendment, modification and waiver in respect of it) may be executed and delivered in counterparts (including by facsimile transmission), each of which will be deemed an original.
- (ii) The parties intend that they are legally bound by the terms of each Transaction from the moment they agree to those terms (whether orally or otherwise). A Confirmation shall be entered into as soon as practicable and may be executed and delivered in counterparts (including by facsimile transmission) or be created by an exchange of telexes or by an exchange of electronic messages on an electronic messaging system, which in each case will be sufficient for all purposes to evidence a binding supplement to this Agreement. The parties will specify therein or through another effective means that any such counterpart, telex or electronic message constitutes a Confirmation.
- (f) No Waiver of Rights. A failure or delay in exercising any right, power or privilege in respect of this Agreement will not be presumed to operate as a waiver, and a single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege will not be presumed to preclude any subsequent or further exercise, of that right, power or privilege or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege.
- (g) Headings. The headings used in this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and are not to affect the construction of or to be taken into consideration in interpreting this Agreement.

#### 10. Offices; Multibranch Parties

- (a) If Section 10(a) is specified in the Schedule as applying, each party that enters into a Transaction through an Office other than its head or home office represents to the other party that, notwithstanding the place of booking office or jurisdiction of incorporation or organisation of such party, the obligations of such party are the same as if it had entered into the Transaction through its head or home office. This representation will be deemed to be repeated by such party on each date on which a Transaction is entered into.
- (b) Neither party may change the Office through which it makes and receives payments or deliveries for the purpose of a Transaction without the prior written consent of the other party.
- (c) If a party is specified as a Multibranch Party in the Schedule, such Multibranch Party may make and receive payments or deliveries under any Transaction through any Office listed in the Schedule, and the Office through which it makes and receives payments or deliveries with respect to a Transaction will be specified in the relevant Confirmation.

#### 11. Expenses

A Defaulting Party will, on demand, indemnify and hold harmless the other party for and against all reasonable out-of-pocket expenses, including legal fees and Stamp Tax, incurred by such other party by reason of the enforcement and protection of its rights under this Agreement or any Credit Support Document

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to which the Defaulting Party is a party or by reason of the early termination of any Transaction, including, but not limited to, costs of collection.

#### 12. Notices

- (a) Effectiveness. Any notice or other communication in respect of this Agreement may be given in any manner set forth below (except that a notice or other communication under Section 5 or 6 may not be given by facsimile transmission or electronic messaging system) to the address or number or in accordance with the electronic messaging system details provided (see the Schedule) and will be deemed effective as indicated:—
  - (i) if in writing and delivered in person or by courier, on the date it is delivered;
  - (ii) if sent by telex, on the date the recipient's answerback is received;
  - (iii) if sent by facsimile transmission, on the date that transmission is received by a responsible employee of the recipient in legible form (it being agreed that the burden of proving receipt will be on the sender and will not be met by a transmission report generated by the sender's facsimile machine);
  - (iv) if sent by certified or registered mail (airmail, if overseas) or the equivalent (return receipt requested), on the date that mail is delivered or its delivery is attempted; or
  - (v) if sent by electronic messaging system, on the date that electronic message is received,

unless the date of that delivery (or attempted delivery) or that receipt, as applicable, is not a Local Business Day or that communication is delivered (or attempted) or received, as applicable, after the close of business on a Local Business Day, in which case that communication shall be deemed given and effective on the first following day that is a Local Business Day.

- (b) Change of Addresses. Either party may by notice to the other change the address, telex or facsimile number or electronic messaging system details at which notices or other communications are to be given to it.
- 13. Governing Law and Jurisdiction
- (a) Governing Law. This Agreement will be governed by and construed in accordance with the law specified in the Schedule.
- (b) Jurisdiction. With respect to any suit, action or proceedings relating to this Agreement ("Proceedings"), each party irrevocably:—
  - (i) submits to the jurisdiction of the English courts, if this Agreement is expressed to be governed by English law, or to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the State of New York and the United States District Court located in the Borough of Manhattan in New York City, if this Agreement is expressed to be governed by the laws of the State of New York; and
  - (ii) waives any objection which it may have at any time to the laying of venue of any Proceedings brought in any such court, waives any claim that such Proceedings have been brought in an inconvenient forum and further waives the right to object, with respect to such Proceedings, that such court does not have any jurisdiction over such party.

Nothing in this Agreement precludes either party from bringing Proceedings in any other jurisdiction (outside, if this Agreement is expressed to be governed by English law, the Contracting States, as defined in Section 1(3) of the Civil Jurisdiction and Judgments Act 1982 or any modification, extension or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force) nor will the bringing of Proceedings in any one or more jurisdictions preclude the bringing of Proceedings in any other jurisdiction.

(c) Service of Process. Each party irrevocably appoints the Process Agent (if any) specified opposite its name in the Schedule to receive, for it and on its behalf, service of process in any Proceedings. If for any

reason any party's Process Agent is unable to act as such, such party will promptly notify the other party and within 30 days appoint a substitute process agent acceptable to the other party. The parties irrevocably consent to service of process given in the manner provided for notices in Section 12. Nothing in this Agreement will affect the right of either party to serve process in any other manner permitted by law.

(d) Waiver of Immunities. Each party irrevocably waives, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, with respect to itself and its revenues and assets (irrespective of their use or intended use), all immunity on the grounds of sovereignty or other similar grounds from (i) suit, (ii) jurisdiction of any court, (iii) relief by way of injunction, order for specific performance or for recovery of property, (iv) attachment of its assets (whether before or after judgment) and (v) execution or enforcement of any judgment to which it or its revenues or assets might otherwise be entitled in any Proceedings in the courts of any jurisdiction and irrevocably agrees, to the extent permitted by applicable law, that it will not claim any such immunity in any Proceedings.

#### 14. Definitions

As used in this Agreement:-

- "Additional Termination Event" has the meaning specified in Section 5(b).
- "Affected Party" has the meaning specified in Section 5(b).
- "Affected Transactions" means (a) with respect to any Termination Event consisting of an Illegality, Tax Event or Tax Event Upon Merger, all Transactions affected by the occurrence of such Termination Event and (b) with respect to any other Termination Event, all Transactions.
- "Affiliate" means, subject to the Schedule, in relation to any person, any entity controlled, directly or indirectly, by the person, any entity that controls, directly or indirectly, the person or any entity directly or indirectly under common control with the person. For this purpose, "control" of any entity or person means ownership of a majority of the voting power of the entity or person.

#### "Applicable Rate" means:---

- (a) in respect of obligations payable or deliverable (or which would have been but for Section 2(a)(iii)) by a Defaulting Party, the Default Rate;
- (b) in respect of an obligation to pay an amount under Section 6(e) of either party from and after the date (determined in accordance with Section 6(d)(ii)) on which that amount is payable, the Default Rate;
- (c) in respect of all other obligations payable or deliverable (or which would have been but for Section 2(a)(iii)) by a Non-defaulting Party, the Non-default Rate; and
- (d) in all other cases, the Termination Rate.
- "Burdened Party" has the meaning specified in Section 5(b).
- "Change in Tax Law" means the enactment, promulgation, execution or ratification of, or any change in or amendment to, any law (or in the application or official interpretation of any law) that occurs on or after the date on which the relevant Transaction is entered into.
- "consent" includes a consent, approval, action, authorisation, exemption, notice, filing, registration or exchange control consent.
- "Credit Event Upon Merger" has the meaning specified in Section 5(b).
- "Credit Support Document" means any agreement or instrument that is specified as such in this Agreement.
- "Credit Support Provider" has the meaning specified in the Schedule.
- "Default Rate" means a rate per annum equal to the cost (without proof or evidence of any actual cost) to the relevant payee (as certified by it) if it were to fund or of funding the relevant amount plus 1% per annum.

- "Defaulting Party" has the meaning specified in Section 6(a).
- "Early Termination Date" means the date determined in accordance with Section 6(a) or 6(b)(iv).
- "Event of Default" has the meaning specified in Section 5(a) and, if applicable, in the Schedule.
- "Illegality" has the meaning specified in Section 5(b).

"Indemnifiable Tax" means any Tax other than a Tax that would not be imposed in respect of a payment under this Agreement but for a present or former connection between the jurisdiction of the government or taxation authority imposing such Tax and the recipient of such payment or a person related to such recipient (including, without limitation, a connection arising from such recipient or related person being or having been a citizen or resident of such jurisdiction, or being or having been organised, present or engaged in a trade or business in such jurisdiction, or having or having had a permanent establishment or fixed place of business in such jurisdiction, but excluding a connection arising solely from such recipient or related person having executed, delivered, performed its obligations or received a payment under, or enforced, this Agreement or a Credit Support Document).

"law" includes any treaty, law, rule or regulation (as modified, in the case of tax matters, by the practice of any relevant governmental revenue authority) and "lawful" and "unlawful" will be construed accordingly.

"Local Business Day" means, subject to the Schedule, a day on which commercial banks are open for business (including dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) (a) in relation to any obligation under Section 2(a)(i), in the place(s) specified in the relevant Confirmation or, if not so specified, as otherwise agreed by the parties in writing or determined pursuant to provisions contained, or incorporated by reference, in this Agreement, (b) in relation to any other payment, in the place where the relevant account is located and, if different, in the principal financial centre, if any, of the currency of such payment, (c) in relation to any notice or other communication, including notice contemplated under Section 5(a)(i), in the city specified in the address for notice provided by the recipient and, in the case of a notice contemplated by Section 2(b), in the place where the relevant new account is to be located and (d) in relation to Section 5(a)(v)(2), in the relevant locations for performance with respect to such Specified Transaction.

"Loss" means, with respect to this Agreement or one or more Terminated Transactions, as the case may be, and a party, the Termination Currency Equivalent of an amount that party reasonably determines in good faith to be its total losses and costs (or gain, in which case expressed as a negative number) in connection with this Agreement or that Terminated Transaction or group of Terminated Transactions, as the case may be, including any loss of bargain, cost of funding or, at the election of such party but without duplication, loss or cost incurred as a result of its terminating, liquidating, obtaining or reestablishing any hedge or related trading position (or any gain resulting from any of them). Loss includes losses and costs (or gains) in respect of any payment or delivery required to have been made (assuming satisfaction of each applicable condition precedent) on or before the relevant Early Termination Date and not made, except, so as to avoid duplication, if Section 6(e)(i)(1) or (3) or 6(e)(ii)(2)(A) applies. Loss does not include a party's legal fees and out-of-pocket expenses referred to under Section 11. A party will determine its Loss as of the relevant Early Termination Date, or, if that is not reasonably practicable, as of the earliest date thereafter as is reasonably practicable. A party may (but need not) determine its Loss by reference to quotations of relevant rates or prices from one or more leading dealers in the relevant markets.

"Market Quotation" means, with respect to one or more Terminated Transactions and a party making the determination, an amount determined on the basis of quotations from Reference Market-makers. Each quotation will be for an amount, if any, that would be paid to such party (expressed as a negative number) or by such party (expressed as a positive number) in consideration of an agreement between such party (taking into account any existing Credit Support Document with respect to the obligations of such party) and the quoting Reference Market-maker to enter into a transaction (the "Replacement Transaction") that would have the effect of preserving for such party the economic equivalent of any payment or delivery (whether the underlying obligation was absolute or contingent and assuming the satisfaction of each applicable condition precedent) by the parties under Section 2(a)(i) in respect of such Terminated Transaction or group of Terminated Transactions that would, but for the occurrence of the relevant Early Termination Date, have

been required after that date. For this purpose, Unpaid Amounts in respect of the Terminated Transaction or group of Terminated Transactions are to be excluded but, without limitation, any payment or delivery that would, but for the relevant Early Termination Date, have been required (assuming satisfaction of each applicable condition precedent) after that Early Termination Date is to be included. The Replacement Transaction would be subject to such documentation as such party and the Reference Market-maker may, in good faith, agree. The party making the determination (or its agent) will request each Reference Market-maker to provide its quotation to the extent reasonably practicable as of the same day and time (without regard to different time zones) on or as soon as reasonably practicable after the relevant Early Termination Date. The day and time as of which those quotations are to be obtained will be selected in good faith by the party obliged to make a determination under Section 6(e), and, if each party is so obliged, after consultation with the other. If more than three quotations are provided, the Market Quotation will be the arithmetic mean of the quotations, without regard to the quotations having the highest and lowest values. If exactly three such quotations are provided, the Market Quotation will be the quotation remaining after disregarding the highest and lowest quotations. For this purpose, if more than one quotation has the same highest value or lowest value, then one of such quotations shall be disregarded. If fewer than three quotations are provided, it will be deemed that the Market Quotation in respect of such Terminated Transaction or group of Terminated Transactions cannot be determined.

"Non-default Rate" means a rate per annum equal to the cost (without proof or evidence of any actual cost) to the Non-defaulting Party (as certified by it) if it were to fund the relevant amount.

"Non-defaulting Party" has the meaning specified in Section 6(a).

"Office" means a branch or office of a party, which may be such party's head or home office.

"Potential Event of Default" means any event which, with the giving of notice or the lapse of time or both, would constitute an Event of Default.

"Reference Market-makers" means four leading dealers in the relevant market selected by the party determining a Market Quotation in good faith (a) from among dealers of the highest credit standing which satisfy all the criteria that such party applies generally at the time in deciding whether to offer or to make an extension of credit and (b) to the extent practicable, from among such dealers having an office in the same city.

"Relevant Jurisdiction" means, with respect to a party, the jurisdictions (a) in which the party is incorporated, organised, managed and controlled or considered to have its seat, (b) where an Office through which the party is acting for purposes of this Agreement is located, (c) in which the party executes this Agreement and (d) in relation to any payment, from or through which such payment is made.

"Scheduled Payment Date" means a date on which a payment or delivery is to be made under Section 2(a)(i) with respect to a Transaction.

"Set-off" means set-off, offset, combination of accounts, right of retention or withholding or similar right or requirement to which the payer of an amount under Section 6 is entitled or subject (whether arising under this Agreement, another contract, applicable law or otherwise) that is exercised by, or imposed on, such payer.

"Settlement Amount" means, with respect to a party and any Early Termination Date, the sum of: -

- (a) the Termination Currency Equivalent of the Market Quotations (whether positive or negative) for each Terminated Transaction or group of Terminated Transactions for which a Market Quotation is determined; and
- (b) such party's Loss (whether positive or negative and without reference to any Unpaid Amounts) for each Terminated Transaction or group of Terminated Transactions for which a Market Quotation cannot be determined or would not (in the reasonable belief of the party making the determination) produce a commercially reasonable result.

"Specified Entity" has the meanings specified in the Schedule.

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"Specified Indebtedness" means, subject to the Schedule, any obligation (whether present or future, contingent or otherwise, as principal or surety or otherwise) in respect of borrowed money.

"Specified Transaction" means, subject to the Schedule, (a) any transaction (including an agreement with respect thereto) now existing or hereafter entered into between one party to this Agreement (or any Credit Support Provider of such party or any applicable Specified Entity of such party) and the other party to this Agreement (or any Credit Support Provider of such other party or any applicable Specified Entity of such other party) which is a rate swap transaction, basis swap, forward rate transaction, commodity swap, commodity option, equity or equity index swap, equity or equity index option, bond option, interest rate option, foreign exchange transaction, cap transaction, floor transaction, collar transaction, currency swap transaction, cross-currency rate swap transaction, currency option or any other similar transaction (including any option with respect to any of these transactions), (b) any combination of these transactions and (c) any other transaction identified as a Specified Transaction in this Agreement or the relevant confirmation.

"Stamp Tax" means any stamp, registration, documentation or similar tax.

"Tax" means any present or future tax, levy, impost, duty, charge, assessment or fee of any nature (including interest, penalties and additions thereto) that is imposed by any government or other taxing authority in respect of any payment under this Agreement other than a stamp, registration, documentation or similar tax.

"Tax Event" has the meaning specified in Section 5(b).

"Tax Event Upon Merger" has the meaning specified in Section 5(b).

"Terminated Transactions" means with respect to any Early Termination Date (a) if resulting from a Termination Event, all Affected Transactions and (b) if resulting from an Event of Default, all Transactions (in either case) in effect immediately before the effectiveness of the notice designating that Early Termination Date (or, if "Automatic Early Termination" applies, immediately before that Early Termination Date).

"Termination Currency" has the meaning specified in the Schedule.

"Termination Currency Equivalent" means, in respect of any amount denominated in the Termination Currency, such Termination Currency amount and, in respect of any amount denominated in a currency other than the Termination Currency (the "Other Currency"), the amount in the Termination Currency determined by the party making the relevant determination as being required to purchase such amount of such Other Currency as at the relevant Early Termination Date, or, if the relevant Market Quotation or Loss (as the case may be), is determined as of a later date, that later date, with the Termination Currency at the rate equal to the spot exchange rate of the foreign exchange agent (selected as provided below) for the purchase of such Other Currency with the Termination Currency at or about 11:00 a.m. (in the city in which such foreign exchange agent is located) on such date as would be customary for the determination of such a rate for the purchase of such Other Currency for value on the relevant Early Termination Date or that later date. The foreign exchange agent will, if only one party is obliged to make a determination under Section 6(e), be selected in good faith by that party and otherwise will be agreed by the parties.

"Termination Event" means an Illegality, a Tax Event or a Tax Event Upon Merger or, if specified to be applicable, a Credit Event Upon Merger or an Additional Termination Event.

"Termination Rate" means a rate per annum equal to the arithmetic mean of the cost (without proof or evidence of any actual cost) to each party (as certified by such party) if it were to fund or of funding such amounts.

"Unpaid Amounts" owing to any party means, with respect to an Early Termination Date, the aggregate of (a) in respect of all Terminated Transactions, the amounts that became payable (or that would have become payable but for Section 2(a)(iii)) to such party under Section 2(a)(i) on or prior to such Early Termination Date and which remain unpaid as at such Early Termination Date and (b) in respect of each Terminated Transaction, for each obligation under Section 2(a)(i) which was (or would have been but for Section 2(a)(iii)) required to be settled by delivery to such party on or prior to such Early Termination Date and which has not been so settled as at such Early Termination Date, an amount equal to the fair market

value of that which was (or would have been) required to be delivered as of the originally scheduled date for delivery, in each case together with (to the extent permitted under applicable law) interest, in the currency of such amounts, from (and including) the date such amounts or obligations were or would have been required to have been paid or performed to (but excluding) such Early Termination Date, at the Applicable Rate. Such amounts of interest will be calculated on the basis of daily compounding and the actual number of days elapsed. The fair market value of any obligation referred to in clause (b) above shall be reasonably determined by the party obliged to make the determination under Section 6(e) or, if each party is so obliged, it shall be the average of the Termination Currency Equivalents of the fair market values reasonably determined by both parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have executed this document on the respective dates specified below with effect from the date specified on the first page of this document.

LEHMAN BROTHERS SPECIAL FINANCING INC. ("Party A")	EUROSAIL 2006-3NC PLC ("Party B")		
(Name of Party)	By:	ne of Party)	
Name: Title: Date:	Name: Title: Date:	Robin Baker Director	

value of that which was (or would have been) required to be delivered as of the originally scheduled date for delivery, in each case together with (to the extent permitted under applicable law) interest, in the currency of such amounts, from (and including) the date such amounts or obligations were or would have been required to have been paid or performed to (but excluding) such Early Termination Date, at the Applicable Rate. Such amounts of interest will be calculated on the basis of daily compounding and the actual number of days elapsed. The fair market value of any obligation referred to in clause (b) above shall be reasonably determined by the party obliged to make the determination under Section 6(e) or, if each party is so obliged, it shall be the average of the Termination Currency Equivalents of the fair market values reasonably determined by both parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have executed this document on the respective dates specified below with effect from the date specified on the first page of this document.

LEHMAN BROTHERS SPECIAL	EUROSAIL 2006-3NC PLC ("Party B")			
FINANCING INC. ("Party A")  (Name of Party)	(Name of Party)			
By: R. Sadiado.  Name: Title: Date:  Richard Sandilands Authorised Signatory	By: Name: Title: Date:			

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EXHIBIT B

**Execution Copy** 

Fixed/Floating Swap Agreement

(Multicurrency-Cross Border)

**SCHEDULE** 

to the

1992 ISDA

#### **MASTER AGREEMENT**

dated as of 9 November 2006

between

# LEHMAN BROTHERS SPECIAL FINANCING INC.

a corporation organised under the laws of the State of Delaware

("Party A")

and

#### **EUROSAIL 2006-3NC PLC**

a corporation organised under the laws of the England and Wales

("Party B")

#### PART 1 TERMINATION PROVISIONS

In this Agreement:-

- (a) "Specified Entity" means:
  - (i) in relation to Party A for the purpose of

    Section 5(a)(v) of this Agreement not applicable

    Section 5(a)(vi) of this Agreement not applicable

    Section 5(a)(vii) of this Agreement not applicable

    Section 5(b)(iv) of this Agreement not applicable
  - (ii) in relation to Party B for the purpose of

Section 5(a)(v) of this Agreement - not applicable

Section 5(a)(vi) of this Agreement - not applicable

Section 5(a)(vii) of this Agreement - not applicable

Section 5(b)(iv) of this Agreement - not applicable

- (b) The "Breach of Agreement" provisions of Section 5(a)(ii) will apply to Party A and will not apply to Party B.
- (c) The "Credit Support Default" provisions of Section 5(a)(iii) will apply to Party A and will not apply to Party B.
- (d) The "Misrepresentation" provisions of Section 5(a)(iv) will apply to Party A but will not apply to Party B.
- (e) "Specified Transaction" will have the meaning specified in Section 14 and the "Default Under Specified Transaction" provisions of Section 5(a)(v) will not apply to Party A and will not apply to Party B.
- The "Cross Default" provisions of Section 5(a)(vi) of this Agreement will not apply to Party A and will not apply to Party B.
- (g) The "Bankruptcy" provisions of (i) Subsection 5(a)(vii)(2) do not apply to Party B, (ii) Subsection 5(a)(vii)(6) do not apply with respect to the appointment of the Trustee under the Deed of Charge, (iii) Subsection 5(a)(vii)(7) do not apply to taking possession by the Trustee pursuant to the Deed of Charge, (iv) Subsection 5(a)(vii)(9) is deleted in its entirety. In any event, Subsection 5(a)(vii)(6) will only apply with the deletion of the words "seeks or" before the words "becomes subject to".
- (h) The "Merger without Assumption" provisions of Section 5(a)(viii) will apply to Party A but will not apply to Party B.
- (i) The "Illegality" provisions of Section 5(b)(i) of this Agreement will apply to Party A and will apply to Party B.
- (j) The "Tax Event" provisions of Section 5(b)(ii) of this Agreement will apply to Party A and will apply to Party B.
- (k) The "Credit Event Upon Merger" provisions of Section 5(b)(iv) of this Agreement will not apply to Party A and will not apply to Party B.
- (1) The "Tax Event Upon Merger" provisions of Section 5(b)(iii) will not apply to Party A and will not apply to Party B.
- (m) The "Automatic Early Termination" provision of Section 6(a) will not apply to Party A and will not apply to Party B.
- (n) Payments on Early Termination, for the purpose of Section 6(e):-
  - (i) Loss will apply.

- (ii) Second Method will apply.
- (0) "Termination Currency" means Sterling.
- (p) "Additional Termination Event"

The following shall constitute Additional Termination Events:

- (i) Redemption of the Notes in whole for taxation reasons. On the occurrence of a redemption of the Notes in whole for taxation reasons pursuant to the provisions of Condition 5(f) of the Notes.
- (ii) Early Redemption of the Notes in whole. On the occurrence of a redemption of the Notes in whole pursuant to Condition 5(e) of the Notes.
- (iii) Enforcement of the Notes. On the occurrence of a redemption of the Notes in whole pursuant to the occurrence of an Event of Default (as defined in Condition 9(a) of the Notes).

With respect to the Additional Termination Events set out above, Party B shall be the sole Affected Party. The Early Termination Date in respect of any Additional Termination Event shall occur (without the need for notice and regardless of whether a notice is issued) on such day preceding the due date for redemption as shall be necessary to ensure that any amount payable pursuant to Section 6(e) of this Agreement falls due on the due date for redemption.

- (iv) The Additional Tax Representation in Part 2(c) below proves to have been incorrect or misleading in any material respect in relation to one or more Transactions (each an Affected Transaction for the purposes of this Additional Termination Event) when made or deemed to have been made or repeated. The sole Affected Party shall be Party A.
- (v) Rating Events
- (a) S&P Rating Event
- (1) In the event that the short-term senior, unsecured and unguaranteed debt obligations of Party A's Credit Support Provider (or its successor or assignee) cease to be rated at least as high as A-1 (an "Initial S&P Downgrade Event") by Standard & Poor's, a division of The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc. ("S&P"), and as a result of such cessation, the then current rating of the relevant Notes is downgraded by S&P or placed under review for possible downgrade by S&P (together with the Initial S&P Downgrade Event, an "Initial S&P Rating Event") then unless Party A, within 30 days of the occurrence of the Initial S&P Downgrade Event, at its own cost:
  - (A) puts in place a mark-to-market collateral agreement (which may be based on the credit support documentation published by ISDA, or otherwise, and will relate to collateral in the form of cash or securities or both) in support of Party A's obligations under this Agreement on terms satisfactory to the Trustee (whose consent shall be given if S&P confirms that the provision of such collateral would maintain or restore

the rating of the relevant Notes by S&P at/to the level it would have been at immediately prior to such Initial S&P Rating Event) and in accordance with the criteria set out and referred to in the article published by S&P on 17 December 2003 entitled "Global Interest Rate and Currency Swaps Counterparty Rating Criteria Expanded', provided that (x) S&P shall be deemed to have given the required confirmation if the amount of collateral agreed to be provided in the form of cash and/or securities (the "Collateral Amount") is determined on a basis which satisfies, but is no more onerous than, the criteria set out and referred to in the article published by S&P on 26 February 2004 entitled "Global Interest Rate and Currency Swaps: Calculating the Collateral Required Amount" which enables entities rated lower than a specified level to participate in structured finance transactions (the "S&P Criteria") (for the avoidance of doubt, "VB" will be calculated using the remaining average life of the Notes to which the relevant Transaction relates rather than the legal final maturity date of the Notes to maintain or restore the rating of the Notes by S&P at or to the level they would have been had such Initial S&P Rating Event not occurred provided that (1) Party A shall provide a legal opinion in a form satisfactory to S&P that provides comfort as to the ability of the Party B to terminate the Transactions under the Agreement and access the collateral free from interference or delay upon the bankruptcy of Party A; and (2) if the short-term, unsecured and unsubordinated debt obligations of Party A (or its successor) or any Credit Support Provider from time to time in respect of Party A cease to be rated at least as high as A-2 by S&P or the long-term, unsecured and unsubordinated debt obligations of Party A (or its successor) or any Credit Support Provider from time to time in respect of Party A cease to be rated at least as high as BBB+ by S&P, Party A shall obtain an external verification of its valuations of the Transactions on a monthly basis in accordance with the requirements of S&P; or

- (B) transfers all of its rights and obligations with respect to this Agreement to a replacement third party satisfactory to the Trustee (whose consent shall be given if S&P confirms that such transfer would maintain the ratings of the Notes by S&P at, or restore the rating of the Notes by S&P to, the level it would have been had such Initial S&P Rating Event not occurred); or
- obtains a guarantee of its rights and obligations with respect to this Agreement from a third party satisfactory to the Trustee (whose consent shall be given if S&P confirms that such guarantee would maintain the rating of the Notes by S&P at, or restore the rating of the Notes by S&P to, the level it would have been had such Initial S&P Rating Event not occurred); or
- (D) take such other action as Party A may agree with S&P as will result in the rating of the Notes by S&P following the taking of such action

being maintained at, or restored to, the level it would have been had such Initial S&P Rating Event not occurred,

an Additional Termination Event shall occur immediately following the expiry of such 30 day period, with Party A as the sole Affected Party.

If any of sub-paragraphs (v)(a)(1)(B), (v)(a)(1)(C) or (v)(a)(1)(D) above are satisfied at any time, all collateral (or the equivalent thereof, as appropriate) transferred by Party A pursuant to sub-paragraph (v)(a)(1)(A) will be transferred to Party A and Party A will not be required to transfer any additional collateral in respect of such Initial S&P Rating Event.

- In the event that the rating of the long-term, unsecured and unsubordinated debt obligations of Party A's Credit Support Provider ceases to be rated at least as high as "BBB-" by S&P (a "Subsequent S&P Rating Event"), then unless Party A at its own cost and expense:
  - (E) uses its reasonable endeavours to take the action set out in subparagraph (v)(a)(1)(B) above immediately upon the occurrence of such Subsequent S&P Rating Event; and
  - if, at the time such Subsequent Rating Event occurs, Party A has provided collateral pursuant to a mark-to-market collateral arrangement put in place pursuant to sub-paragraph (v)(a)(1)(A) above following an Initial S&P Rating Event, it shall continue to post collateral notwithstanding the occurrence of such Subsequent S&P Rating Event until such time as the action set out in sub-paragraph (v)(a)(2)(A) above has been taken,

an Additional Termination Event shall occur immediately following the expiry of such 10 day period, with Party A as the sole Affected Party.

If the action set out in sub-paragraph (v)(a)(2)(A) above is taken at any time, all collateral (or the equivalent thereof, as appropriate) transferred by Party A pursuant to sub-paragraph (v)(a)(1)(A) above will be transferred to Party A and Party A will not be required to transfer any additional collateral in respect of such Subsequent S&P Rating Event.

# (b) Fitch Rating Event

- (i) If at any time the Short-term Rating or Long-term Rating of Party A's Credit Support Provider's debt obligations are downgraded below F1 and A, as the case may be, by Fitch Ratings Ltd ("Fitch") then Party A shall within 30 calendar days of the occurrence of such downgrade (a "Fitch Downgrade Event"):
  - (A) procure the transfer all of its rights and obligations under this Agreement to an entity with the Required Ratings provided that a transfer to an entity incorporated and/or tax resident in a different jurisdiction to Party A shall only be permitted if the tax treatment of payments under this Agreement would not be adversely affected; or

- (B) procure that its obligations with respect to this Agreement are guaranteed by a third party (such guarantee to be in form and substance satisfactory to Party B and the Trustee) with the Required Ratings; or
- (C) put in place put in place a Suitable Collateral Agreement under the terms of which, the collateral to be posted will be in the form of cash or securities or both and for an amount in accordance with the following formula:

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each as defined and set out in the article entitled "Counterparty Risk in Structured Finance Transactions: Swap Criteria" dated 13 September 2004, as amended from time to time.

The Collateral Advance Rate will be dependent on the type of securities posted. For cash (denominated in Sterling) or cash equivalents the Collateral Advance Rate is 100%. For other collateral that may be subject to market value risk, an appropriate haircut will be agreed with Fitch for the determination of the Collateral Advance Rate.

The cost of putting in place each of the arrangements described in sub-paragraphs (v)(b)(i)(A), (B), and (C) shall be borne by Party A in each case.

- (ii) If at any time the Short-term Rating or Long term Rating of Party A's Credit Support Provider's debt obligations are downgraded below F2 and BBB+, as the case may be, by Fitch then Party A shall:
  - (A) procure the transfer all of its rights and obligations under this Agreement to an entity with the Required Ratings provided that a transfer to an entity incorporated and/or tax resident in a different jurisdiction to Party A shall only be permitted if the tax treatment of payments under this Agreement would not be adversely affected; or
  - (B) procure that its obligations with respect to this Agreement are guaranteed by a third party (such guarantee to be in form and substance satisfactory to Party B and the Trustee) with the Required Ratings; or
  - (C) post the collateral amount in cash or securities or both determined in accordance with Fitch criteria ("Counterparty Risk in Structured Finance Transactions: Swap Criteria" published on 13 September 2004 and, for the purposes of the relevant collateral amount calculation, as amended from time to time) and verified by an independent third party identified by Party A.
- (iii) If at any time the Short-term Rating or Long term Rating of Party A's Credit Support Provider's debt obligations are downgraded below F3 and BBB-, as the case may be, by Fitch then Party A shall:
  - (A) procure the transfer all of its rights and obligations under this Agreement to an entity with the Required Ratings provided that a transfer to an entity incorporated and/or tax resident in a different

- jurisdiction to Party A shall only be permitted if the tax treatment of payments under this Agreement would not be adversely affected; or
- (B) procure that its obligations with respect to this Agreement are guaranteed by a third party (such guarantee to be in form and substance satisfactory to Party B and the Trustee) with the Required Ratings.

For the avoidance of doubt, if Party A does not take any of the measures described in sub-paragraphs (v)(b)(i), (ii) or (iii) above within 30 days of its downgrade, such failure shall constitute an Additional Termination Event with Party A as the sole Affected Party.

No measure or step taken pursuant to sub-paragraphs (v)(b)(i)(A), (v)(b)(ii)(A) or (v)(b)(iii)(A) above shall be effective and unconditional unless and until the assignee, successor or credit support provider (if applicable) has agreed to be bound by and adhered in manner and form acceptable to the Trustee, the Deed of Charge.

## (c) Moody's Rating Event

- (i) If at any time either:
  - (x) the Short-term Rating of Party A's Credit Support Provider's debt obligations are downgraded below P-1 by Moody's; or
  - (y) the Long-term Rating of Party A's Credit Support Provider's debt obligations are downgraded below A1 by Moody's,

(either of the events in (x) or (y) above being a "Moody's Downgrade Event") unless Party A within 10 Business Days of the occurrence of the Moody's Rating Event at its option:

- (A) transfers all of its rights and obligations under this Agreement to an entity with the Required Ratings provided that a transfer to an entity incorporated and/or tax resident in a different jurisdiction to Party A shall only be permitted if the tax treatment of payments under this Agreement would not be adversely affected; or
- (B) procures another person with the Required Ratings to become coobligor in respect of the obligations of Party A under this Agreement provided that if the co-obligor is incorporated and/or tax resident in a different jurisdiction to Party A such accession shall only be permitted if the tax treatment of payments under this Agreement would not be adversely affected; or
- takes such other action as Moody's confirm will remedy the Moody's Downgrade Event; or
- (D) puts in place a Suitable Collateral Agreement under the terms of which, *inter alia*, collateral will be posted up to the Collateral Requirement.

The cost of putting in place the arrangements described shall be borne by Party A.

If Party A fails to comply with the provisions in this paragraph (v)(c)(i) such failure shall be an Additional Termination Event in respect of Party A.

- (ii) If at any time either:
  - the Short-term Rating of Party A's Credit Support Provider's debt obligations are downgraded below P-2 by Moody's; or
  - (y) the Long-term Rating of Party A's Credit Support Provider's debt obligations are downgraded below A3 by Moody's,

(any of the events in (x) or (y) above, being a "Moody's Subsequent Downgrade Event") to the extent that Party A has not already done so, Party A shall promptly put in place a Suitable Collateral Agreement in accordance with paragraph (v)(c)(i)(D) above (such obligation hereafter the "Subsequent Downgrade Collateral Obligation") and further use its reasonable efforts to either:

- (A) procure the transfer of all rights and obligations of Party A with respect to this Agreement to a replacement third party with the Required Ratings provided that a transfer to an entity incorporated and/or tax resident in a different jurisdiction to Party A shall only be permitted if the tax treatment of payments under this Agreement would not be adversely affected; or
- (B) procure another entity, with the Required Ratings, to become coobligor in respect of the obligations of Party A under this Agreement provided that if the co-obligor is incorporated and/or tax resident in a different jurisdiction to Party A, such accession shall only be permitted if the tax treatment of payments under this Agreement would not be adversely affected; or
- (C) take such other action as Moody's require to remedy a Moody's Subsequent Downgrade Event.

The cost of putting in place each of the arrangements described in paragraphs (v)(c)(ii)(A), (B), and (C) above shall be borne by Party A in each case.

If Party A fails to comply with the provisions in this paragraph (v)(c)(ii) such failure shall be an Additional Termination Event in respect of Party A (other than a failure by Party A to comply with the Subsequent Downgrade Collateral Obligation which shall constitute an Event of Default).

### (q) Part 1 Definitions

Any terms not defined otherwise in this Agreement shall have the meaning specified in the Master Definitions Schedule.

"Collateral Advance Rate" means:

- 1. in the case of cash collateral, the Collateral Advance Rate is 100%; or
- 2. such other rate determined in accordance with Fitch criteria as set out in article "Counterparty Risk in Structured Finance Transactions: Swap Criteria" published on 13 September 2004, as amended from time to time.

"Collateral Requirement" means on any Valuation Date the greatest of:

- 1. the MTM of all Transactions entered into pursuant to the Agreement;
- 2. the sum of the payments due to be made by Party A on the following payment date pursuant to the terms of all Transactions;
- 3. the Moody's Collateral Amount of all Transactions, provided that for so long as a Moody's Collateral Amount is a negative amount it will be deemed for these purposes to be zero; and
- 4. zero,

provided that the Collateral Requirement hereunder shall be zero if and so long as (a) the Long-term Rating of Party A's Credit Support Provider's debt obligations become and remain rated by Moody's at A1 or above; and the Short-term Rating of Party A's Credit Support Provider's debt obligations become and remain rated by Moody's at P-1 or above.

"Deed of Charge" has the meaning ascribed thereto in the Master Definitions Schedule.

"Long-term Rating" means the long-term, unsecured and unsubordinated rating.

"Master Definitions Schedule" means the master definitions schedule set out in Schedule 1 (Master Definitions Schedule) of the Master Securitisation Agreement dated on or about 9 November 2006 relating to documents entered into in connection with a residential mortgage securitisation involving Party B as the Issuer.

"MTM" means, in respect of a Transaction, on any Valuation Date the amount, if any, that would be payable by Party A to Party B (expressed as a positive number) or by Party B to Party A (expressed as a negative number) pursuant to Section 6(e) of this Agreement, if such Transaction under this Agreement was being terminated as of the relevant Valuation Date.

"Notional Amount" means, in respect of the Transaction hereunder, the amount defined as such in the Confirmation relating thereto.

"Required Ratings" means a Short-term Rating of F-1 and a Long-term Rating of A from Fitch or as the case may be Short-term Rating of P-1 and a Long-term Rating of A1 from Moody's.

"Notes" has the meaning ascribed thereto in the Master Definitions Schedule.

"Short-term Rating" means the short-term, unsecured and unsubordinated rating.

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"Suitable Collateral Agreement" means a mark-to-market collateral agreement in a form and substance acceptable to Moody's or Fitch, as the case may be, (which may be based on the credit support documentation published by ISDA or otherwise, and relates to collateral in the form of cash or securities or both) in support of the obligations of Party A under this Agreement.

"Trustee" has the meaning ascribed thereto in the Master Definitions Schedule.

"Valuation Date" means each Local Business Day.

## PART 2 TAX REPRESENTATIONS

# (a) Party A and Party B Payer Tax Representations

For the purpose of Section 3(e), Party A and Party B each makes the following representation:

It is not required by any applicable law, as modified by the practice of any relevant governmental revenue authority, of any Relevant Jurisdiction to make any deduction or withholding for or on account of any Tax from any payment (other than interest under Sections 2(e), 6(d)(ii) or 6(e)) to be made by it to the other party under this Agreement. In making this representation, it may rely on (i) the accuracy of any representations made by the other party pursuant to Section 3(f), (ii) the satisfaction of the agreement contained in Sections 4(a)(i) or 4(a)(iii) and the accuracy and effectiveness of any document provided by the other party pursuant to Sections 4(a)(i) or 4(a)(iii) and (iii) the satisfaction of the agreement of the other party contained in Section 4(d), PROVIDED that it shall not be a breach of this representation where reliance is placed on sub-clause (ii) above and the other party does not deliver a form or document under Section 4(a)(iii) by reason of material prejudice to its legal or commercial position.

## (b) Payee Tax Representations

For the purpose of Section 3(f), neither Party A nor Party B will make any representations.

# (c) Additional Representation

For the purpose of this Agreement, Party A represents to Party B in relation to each Transaction that:

- "(i) it is and will be throughout the course of the relevant Transaction resident in the United Kingdom for United Kingdom tax purposes; or
- (ii) it is and will be throughout the course of the relevant Transaction resident in a jurisdiction that has a double taxation convention or treaty with the United Kingdom under which provision, whether for relief or otherwise, in relation to interest (as defined in the relevant convention or treaty) is made; or
- (iii) it has entered into the relevant Transaction solely for the purposes of a trade or part of a trade carried on by it in the United Kingdom through a branch or agency and will continue so to treat the relevant Transaction throughout the course of the relevant Transaction."

#### AGREEMENT TO DELIVER DOCUMENTS PART 3

For the purposes of Sections 3(d), 4(a)(i) and (ii), each party agrees to supply the following documents:

Tax forms, documents or certificates to be delivered are: (a)

## PARTY REQUIRED TO **DELIVER DOCUMENT:**

## FORM/DOCUMENT/ CERTIFICATE:

# DATE BY WHICH TO BE **DELIVERED:**

Party A, Party B and Party A's Credit Support Provider

any document required or (i) reasonable demand by the reasonably requested to allow the other party to make under this payments Agreement without any deduction or withholding for or on account of any Tax or with such deduction or withholding at a reduced rate.

Subject to Section 4(a)(iii), Promptly upon the earlier of other party and (ii) learning that the form or document is required.

Other documents to be delivered are: (b)

**PARTY** REQUIRED TO DELIVER DOCUMENT:

FORM/ DOCUMENT/ **CERTIFICATE:**  DATE BY WHICH TO BE **DELIVERED:** 

**COVERED BY** SECTION 3(D) REPRESENTATION

Party A and Party Either (1) a signature Upon execution of В

where booklet. or applicable, an extract the the commercial Confirmation containing applicable register certificate secretary's resolutions and ("authorising resolutions") authorising the party to into Agreement and any Confirmation or (2) a secretary's/director's/ authorised other person's certificate, authorising resolutions incumbency certificate for such party and any Credit Support Provider of such party reasonably satisfactory in form and

this Agreement and relevant as Yes

PARTY REQUIRED TO DELIVER DOCUMENT:	FORM/ DOCUMENT/ CERTIFICATE:	DATE BY WHICH TO BE DELIVERED:	COVERED BY SECTION 3(D) REPRESENTATION
	substance to the other party.		
Party A	A duly executed copy of the Guarantee of Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc. specified as a Credit Support Document in Part 4 of this Schedule.	this Agreement.	No
Party A	Written opinions of internal legal counsel to Party A and Party A's Credit Support Provider on the due capacity and authority of Party A and Party A's Credit Support Provider to enter into this Agreement and the Guarantee and on the enforceability and validity of its obligations thereunder.	this Agreement.	No
Party B	Certified copies of such party's Memorandum and Articles of Association.	this Agreement	f Yes
Party B	A written opinion of English legal counsel to Party B reasonably satisfactory in form and substance to Party A to address capacity issues	this Agreement  d	f No
Party B	Executed copy of th Deed of Charge.	e Upon execution o this Agreement	f No

**PARTY** REQUIRED TO DELIVER **DOCUMENT:** 

FORM/ DOCUMENT/ **CERTIFICATE:**  DATE BY WHICH TO BE DELIVERED:

**COVERED BY SECTION 3(D)** REPRESENTATION

Party A and Party Annual Support Provider

and semi- Promptly Credit annual Statements for of this duration

upon Financial reasonable demand the by Party B

No

Agreement.

### PART 4 MISCELLANEOUS

- (a) Addresses for Notices. For the purposes of Section 12(a):
  - (i) Notices or communications to Party A shall be sent to the address, telex number or facsimile specified below:

Address:

Lehman Brothers Special Financing Inc.

Transaction Management 399 Park Avenue, 15th Floor New York, NY 10022-4679

Attention: Joseph Polizzotto Telephone No:+1(212) 526-2648 Facsimile No: +1(212) 526-2726

with a copy to:

Address:

Lehman Brothers International (Europe)

Legal Transaction Management (FID)

25 Bank Street London E14 5LE

Attention:

Legal - Fixed Income

Telephone No:

+44 207 102 7376

Facsimile No:

+44 207 067 8388

(ii) Address for notices or communications to Party B shall be sent to the address, telex number or facsimile number specified below:

Address:

Eurosail 2006-3NC PLC

c/o Capstone 6 Broadgate

London EC2M 2QS

Attention:

Head of Legal

Telephone No:

020 7920 1972

Facsimile no:

+44 (0)20 7920 1972

- Notices. Section 12(a) is amended by adding in the third line thereof after the phrase "messaging system" and before the ")" the words, "; provided, however, any such notice or other communication may be given by facsimile transmission if telex is unavailable, no telex number is supplied to the party providing notice, or if answer back confirmation is not received from the party to whom the telex is sent.".
- (c) Process Agent. For the purpose of Section 13(c):

Party A appoints as its Process Agent: Lehman Brothers International (Europe), Attention: Managing Director – Swaps, 25 Bank Street, London E14 5LE, England.

Party B appoints as its Process Agent: Not applicable.

- (d) Offices. The provisions of Section 10(a) will apply to Party A and will apply to Party B.
- (e) Multibranch Party. For the purpose of Section 10(c):

Party A is not a Multibranch Party.

Party B is not a Multibranch Party.

- (f) Calculation Agent. "Calculation Agent" means Party A, unless otherwise specified in a Confirmation in relation to the relevant Transaction.
- (g) Credit Support Document. Details of any Credit Support Document:

In relation to Party A: A guarantee (the "Guarantee") granted by Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc. of Party A's obligations hereunder in the form annexed hereto as Exhibit A to this Schedule.

In relation to Party B: The Deed of Charge.

(h) Credit Support Provider. Credit Support Provider means:

In relation to Party A: Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc.

In relation to Party B: Not applicable.

- (i) Governing Law; Jurisdiction. This Agreement and the Confirmation will be governed by, and construed in accordance with the laws of England.
- (j) Netting of Payments. Subparagraph (ii) of Section 2(c) of this Agreement shall not apply.
- (k) "Affiliate" has the meaning specified in Section 14.

## PART 5 OTHER PROVISIONS

- Obligations. In Section 2(a)(iii) the words "or Potential Event of Default" shall be deleted in respect of Party B but not in respect of Party A, and that Section shall apply provided that Party A shall be obliged to perform its obligations under Section 2(a)(i) notwithstanding the occurrence of a Potential Event of Default with respect to Party B
- (b) Absence of Litigation, Absence of Certain Events. Section 3(c) is amended by the deletion of the words "or any of its Affiliates". Section 3(b) is amended (in respect of Party B only) by the deletion of the words "or potential Event of Default".
- (c) Change of Account. Section 2(b) is amended by the addition of the following after the word "delivery" in the first line thereof:

"to another account in the same legal and tax jurisdiction as the original account".

(d) Deduction or Withholding for Tax. A reference in the Agreement to an "Indemnifiable Tax" shall, with respect to Party A be deemed to be a reference to any Tax and, with respect to Party B shall be deemed to be a reference to no Tax.

### (e) Security Interest

Notwithstanding Section 7, Party A hereby consents and agrees to the assignment by way of security by Party B of its interests under this Agreement (without prejudice to, and after giving effect to, any contractual netting provision contained in this Agreement) to J.P. Morgan Corporate Trustee Services Limited, as trustee (or any successor thereto) pursuant to and in accordance with the Deed of Charge and acknowledges notice of such assignment.

- (f) No Set-off. Without prejudice to Part 4, paragraph (j) hereof, the respective obligations of Party A and Party B under this Agreement shall not be subject to any defence, counterclaim or right of set-off which either party may have against the other party under any other Agreement other than this Agreement.
- (g) Transfers. Section 7 is deleted and replaced in its entirety with the following:

"Party A may, with the prior written consent of Party B and the Trustee, make a transfer of this Agreement to any other entity (but without prejudice to any other right or remedy under this Agreement), provided that Party B and the Trustee shall not be entitled to withhold their consent if (1) upon, or as a result of, such transfer taking place Party B would not be required to pay an additional amount and the transferee would not be required to deduct or withhold on account of any Tax, (2) any proposed transferee of Party A would enter into documentation identical (or, subject to the Trustee' consent, substantially identical) to this Agreement and the documents executed in connection with this Agreement, (3) no Termination Event or Event of Default would occur as a direct result of such transfer, (4) each of S&P, Moody's and Fitch has confirmed that such transfer would not result in a downgrade of the then current ratings of the Notes and (5) S&P has assigned a rating of the short-term, unsecured and unsubordinated debt obligations of the transferee (or its successor) or

- any credit support provider from time to time in respect of transferee, of not lower than A-1.
- (h) Limited Recourse. Notwithstanding other provisions of this Agreement, the obligation of Party B to make any payment under this Agreement will be limited in accordance with the Priority of Payments and the Deed of Charge.
- (i) Non-Petition Covenant. The provisions of Clauses 6.1 and 6.2 of the Deed of Charge will apply mutatis mutandis to this Agreement.
- (j) Interpretation. Reference in this Agreement to the parties hereto or to Party A or Party B shall (for the avoidance of doubt) include, where appropriate, any permitted successor or assign thereof.
- (k) Limited Transactions. The parties agree that no Transactions shall be entered into under this Agreement, other than the Transaction.
- (l) Benefit of Agreement. Any legal entity into which Party A is merged or converted or any legal entity resulting from any merger or conversion to which Party A is a party shall, to the extent permitted by applicable law, be a party to this Agreement in place of Party A without further act or formality.
- (m) Additional Representations. Section 3 is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following sub-paragraphs:
  - "(g) It has entered into this Agreement (including each Transaction evidenced hereby) in conjunction with its line of business (including financial intermediation services) or the financing of its business.
  - (h) It is entering into this Agreement, any Credit Support Document to which it is a party, each Transaction and any other documentation relating to this Agreement or any Transaction as principal (and not as agent or in any other capacity, fiduciary or otherwise)."
- (n) Relationship between the Parties. Each party will be deemed to represent to the other party on the date on which it enters into a Transaction (absent a written agreement between the parties that expressly imposes affirmative obligations to the contrary for that Transaction) as follows:
  - (i) Non Reliance. It is acting for its own account, and it has made its own independent decisions to enter into that transaction and as to whether that Transaction is appropriate or proper for it based upon its own judgement and upon advice from such advisers as it has deemed necessary. It is not relying on any communication (written or oral) of the other party as investment advice or as a recommendation to enter into that Transaction; it being understood that information and explanations related to the terms and conditions of a Transaction shall not be considered investment advice or a recommendation to enter into that Transaction. No communication (written or oral) received from the other party shall be deemed to be an assurance or guarantee as to the expected results of that Transaction.

- (ii) Assessment and Understanding. It is capable of assessing the merits of and understanding (on its own behalf or through independent professional advice), and understands and accepts, the terms, conditions and risks of that Transaction. It is also capable of assuming, and assumes, the risks of that Transaction.
- (iii) Status of Parties. The other party is not acting as a fiduciary for or an adviser to it in respect of that Transaction.
- (o) Consent to Recording. Each party (i) consents to the recording of all telephone conversations between trading, operations and marketing personnel of the parties in connection with this Agreement or the Transaction; (ii) agrees to give notice to such personnel of it that their calls will be recorded; and (iii) agrees that in any Proceedings, it will not object to the introduction of such recordings in evidence on the ground that consent was not properly given.
- (p) Rights of Third Parties. A person who is not a party to this Agreement has no right under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 to enforce any term of this Agreement, provided that this shall not affect any rights of any third party which may be granted in respect of this Agreement pursuant to the terms of the Deed of Charge.

## (q) Definitions

- (i) This Agreement, each Confirmation, and each Transaction are subject to the 2000 ISDA Definitions as published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc. as amended, supplemented, updated, restated, and superseded from time to time (collectively the "Definitions"), and will be governed in all respects by the Definitions. The Definitions, as so modified are incorporated by reference in, and made part of, this Agreement and the Confirmation as if set forth in full in this Agreement and the Confirmation.
- (ii) Words and expressions defined in the master definitions schedule set out in Schedule 1 (Master Definitions Schedule) of the Master Securitisation Agreement dated on or about 9 November 2006 (the "Master Definitions Schedule") between, among others, Party A and Party B, will, unless otherwise defined in this Agreement or as the context otherwise requires, have the same meaning in this Agreement. In the event of any inconsistency between the definitions in this Agreement and in the Master Definitions Schedule, the definitions in this Agreement will prevail. The rules of interpretation set out in the Master Definitions Schedule will apply to this Agreement.

#### (r) Counterparts

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have executed this Schedule on the respective dates specified below with effect from the date specified on the first page of this document.

# LEHMAN BROTHERS SPECIAL FINANCING INC.

Ву:
Name:
Title:
Date:

### **EUROSAIL 2006-3NC PLC**

Name: Robin Bak 26
Title: Director

Date:

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have executed this Schedule on the respective dates specified below with effect from the date specified on the first page of this document.

LEHMAN BROTHERS SPECIAL FINANCING INC.

By:	R Saudilands.		
Name:	TO THE T.		
Title:	Richard Sandilands Authorised Signatory		
Date:	<u> </u>		
EUROSAIL 2006-3NC PLC			
Ву:			
Name:			
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EXHIBIT C

# **LEHMAN BROTHERS**

**Execution Version** 

Eurosail 2006-3NC PLC

9 November 2006

#### **Interest Rate Swap Confirmation**

#### Our reference:

The purpose of this communication (the "Confirmation") is to confirm the terms and conditions of the transaction entered into between Lehman Brothers Special Financing Inc. ("LBSF" or "Party A") and Eurosail 2006-3NC PLC. (the "Counterparty" or "Party B") on the Trade Date specified below (the "Transaction"). This Confirmation supersedes any previous Confirmation or other communication with respect to the Transaction and evidences a binding agreement between us as to the terms of the Transaction. This Confirmation constitutes a "Confirmation" as referred to in the ISDA Master Agreement specified below.

This Confirmation supplements, forms a part of and is subject to the 1992 ISDA Master Agreement (Multicurrency-Cross Border) dated as of 9 November 2006 (the "Agreement") between Party A and Party B. All provisions contained in or incorporated by reference into the Agreement upon its execution shall govern this Confirmation except as expressly modified below.

Lehman Brothers Europe Limited ("LBEL") is acting as agent on behalf of Party A for this Transaction. LBEL has no obligations, by guarantee, endorsement or otherwise, with respect to the performance of this Transaction by either party. LBEL is regulated by the Financial Services Authority.

The definitions and provisions contained in the 2000 ISDA Definitions, incorporating the June 2000 Version of the Annex, as amended and supplemented as at the date of this Confirmation (as published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc. ("ISDA")) (the "Definitions") are incorporated into this Confirmation. In the event of any inconsistency between the Definitions and the provisions of this Confirmation, this Confirmation will govern. References herein to a "Transaction" shall be deemed references to a "Swap Transaction" for the purposes of the Definitions. Capitalised terms and expressions used in this Confirmation shall have the meanings ascribed to them herein (or by reference hereto) including in the paragraph headed "Additional Definitions" below or where not so defined shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Agreement.

Each party hereto represents and warrants to the other party hereto that, in connection with the Transaction (i) it is acting for its own account, and it has made its own independent decisions to enter into that Transaction and as to whether that Transaction is appropriate or proper for it based upon its own judgment and upon advice from such advisers as it has

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deemed necessary. It is not relying on any communication (written or oral) of the other party as investment advice or as recommendation to enter into the Transaction, it being understood that information and explanations related to the terms and conditions of that Transaction shall not be considered investment advice or a recommendation to enter into that Transaction. No communication (written or oral) received from the other party shall be deemed to be an assurance or guarantee as to the expected results of the Transaction, (ii) it is capable of assessing the merits of and understanding (on its own behalf or through independent professional advice), and understands and accepts, the terms, conditions and risks of that Transaction, it is also capable of assuming, and assumes, the risks of that Transaction, and (iii) the other party is not acting as a fiduciary for or an adviser to it in respect of that Transaction.

The terms of the particular Transaction to which this Confirmation relates are as follows:

## General terms applicable to Party A and Party B:

Trade Date:

9<sup>th</sup> November 2006

Effective Date:

10 March 2007

Termination Date:

The earlier of 10 September 2009 and the Period End Date upon which the Principal Amount Outstanding of the Class E1c Notes is reduced to zero, subject to adjustment in accordance with the

Following Business Day Convention.

Notional Amount:

Performing Balance of Fixed Rate Loans.

Period End Dates:

The 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, June, September and December in each year, commencing with and

including 10 June 2007, unadjusted.

**Business Days:** 

Any day (other than a Saturday or a Sunday) on which banks are generally open for business in New York and London and on which the Trans-European Automated Real-time Gross settlement Express Transfer System ("TARGET") (or any

successor thereto) is open.

Calculation Agent:

Lehman Brothers International (Europe).

#### Floating Amounts (applicable to Party A only)

Floating Rate Payer:

Party A

Floating Rate Payer Payment Dates:

The 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, June, September and December in each year, commencing with and including 10 June 2007 subject, in each case, to adjustment in accordance with the Following

Business Day Convention.

Floating Rate: Three-month GBP LIBOR plus the applicable

Asset Yield.

Reset Date: first Business Day of each Calculation Period.

Floating Rate Day Count Fraction: Actual/365 (fixed).

Fixed Amounts (applicable to Party B only)

Fixed Rate Payer: Party B

Fixed Rate Payer Payment Dates: The 10th day of March, June, September and

December in each year, commencing with and including 10 June 2007 subject, in each case, to adjustment in accordance with the Following

Business Day Convention.

Fixed Rate Weighted Average Fixed Rate.

Fixed Rate Day Count Fraction: Actual/365 (fixed).

**Account Details** 

Payments to Party A in GBP should be

made to: Correspondent Bank, Citibank, London

Sort Code: 18-50-08

BIC Code: CITIGB2L

Account of: Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc., (SLHIUS3X)

Account No: GB56CITI18500800066427

Fay: Lehman Brothers Special Financing Inc.

(SLHIUS3S)

Payments to Party B in GBP should be

made to: Barclays Bank PLC

Account: Eurosail 2006-3NC PLC

Account Number: 80240753

Sort Code: 20-19-90

**Offices** 

Party A Address for Notices:

c/o 25 Lehman Brothers International (Europe),

25 Bank Street, London E14 5LE.

Party B

Address for Notices:

c/o Capstone Mortgage Services Ltd, 1st Floor, 6

Broadgate, London EC2M 2QS

Other Provisions

Payments on Early Termination

For the purpose of Section 6(e), notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Agreement, Loss

will apply.

Notification Requirements:

No later than 3 Business Days prior to each Period End Date, Party B will procure the notify Administrator to Cash/Bond Calculation Agent of the Performing Balance of the Fixed Rate Loans, the Fixed Rate and the Fixed Amount. The Calculation Agent shall then use this Performing Balance of the Fixed Rate Loans to calculate the Floating Amount payable for that Calculation Period. If such notification is not received by that time, the Calculation Agent shall use the Performing Balance of the Fixed Rate Loans and the Fixed Rate received for the previous Calculation Period.

#### **Additional Definitions**

"Asset Yield"

As per the Prospectus.

"Class E1c Notes"

As per the Prospectus.

"Performing Balance"

As per the Prospectus.

"Prospectus"

means the prospectus of Party B as the Issuer dated 7th November 2006 issued and published in connection with the issue of the Notes.

"Notes"

As per the Prospectus.

"Three-month LIBOR"

the Rate of Interest (as defined in Condition 4(c) of the Prospectus) for Sterling Notes (as defined

in the Prospectus).

"Weighted Average Fixed Rate"

As per the Prospectus.

Please confirm that the foregoing correctly sets forth all of the terms and conditions of our agreement with respect to the Transaction by responding within three Business Days by signing in the space provided below and returning a copy to us.

duly authorised for and on behalf of Lehman Brothers Special Financing Inc.

duly authorised for and on behalf of Eurosail 2006-3NC PLC

Robin Baker Director Please confirm that the foregoing correctly sets forth all of the terms and conditions of our agreement with respect to the Transaction by responding within three Business Days by signing in the space provided below and returning a copy to us.

duly authorised

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Lehman Brothers Special Financing Inc.

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